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PRES. TAFT ENDORSED BY STATE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

COLUMBUS LANDED STATE CONVENTION TO BE HELD JUNE 5-6

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., March 30.—By a vote of 16 to 5 the Republican state committee endorsed President Taft and by the same vote gave Columbus the convention, June 5th and 6th.

When the committee went into session proxies were offered for three members, W. H. Phipps, of the Fifth; Edwin Jones, of the Tenth, and C. P. Gilmer, of the Nineteenth. Chairman Walter Brown ruled that under the law proxies could not be accepted.

Committeeman Hamilton then moved that the committee go into executive session and this motion carried. The three men holding proxies were invited into the closed session and it developed that Phipps, Jones and Gilmer had specified that they resigned in case proxies were not accepted. Their resignations were accepted, the three proxy holders were elected committeemen in their stead. They were G. A. Strother, of Ottawa; John E. Jones, of Jackson, and F. R. Wilkins, of Warren.

At the executive session the following program was agreed upon, as outlined by the Taft men who were in full control of the committee:

Delegates from the 21 congressional districts of the state to the national convention to be chosen at a primary.

Six delegates at large to be chosen by the state convention.

The state convention to be held at Memorial Hall, Columbus, June 5th and 6th.

Senator Theodore Burton to be temporary chairman of the convention.

Malcolm Jennings, of Marion, to be secretary of the convention.

A convention to be called later following the national convention to select a state ticket.

The central committee then adopted strong resolutions endorsing the candidacy of William H. Taft for president, the vote standing 16 to 5.

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., March 30— The friends of President Taft today claimed that the administration will control the action of the Republican state central committee when it meets here this afternoon to frame a call for a state convention and provide a method of electing the delegates at large to the national convention at Chicago.

The Taft leaders say they control from 14 to 18 of the 21 votes in the committee. The administration program as finally agreed upon this morning in convention is:

Republican state convention to be held at Columbus June 4 or 5. Election of 6 delegates and alternates at large to the convention.

Adoption of a platform.

Endorsement of the Taft administration.

Election of a state central committee and adjournment to some date after the national convention at which time a state ticket will be named.

The Taft forces today decided to put forth the following names for temporary officers of the convention:

Senator Theodore Burton, chairman; Malcomb Jennings, of Marion, secretary; Ed Hughes, of Clinton county, first assistant.

The Roosevelt faction will advocate the adoption of a state wide presidential preference primary similar to that adopted by the Democratic committee. The Taft men claim that the only three members to support this plan are: State Chairman Walter Brown, Secretary Foster of Athens, and A. R. Garford of the Fourteenth District. They claim that this is the total of the Roosevelt strength but supporters of the Colonel are claiming six votes in the committee.

The resolution which will be introduced by the Taft followers endorses the president's administration in the strongest terms and urges the committee to work for the renomination of Taft. The call which was presented by the Taft men provided for the state convention to be held in Columbus June 5th and 6th. Under its provision the method of nominating presidential electors will be put up to the secretary of state for a ruling as under the primary law no method is stated.

If the secretary of state does not give a ruling the elector will be made under the old plan of congressional district, with the convention to name three at large.

Daugherty To Be The Chairman

By Associated Press.

Columbus, O., March 30—It now looks as though Harry M. Daugherty, a staunch supporter of President Taft, would be chosen as temporary chairman of the state Republican Convention, now in session in this city. The Taft men had centered upon Senator T. E. Burton, but he has withdrawn in favor of Daugherty, who was a candidate for United States Senator in 1909.

The Taft men claim they have complete control of the committee, and are counting upon no less than 16 votes. Walter F. Brown chairman, is maintaining the strictest silence and will venture no prediction as to the outcome of the committee's session.

Socialist National Conventi'n

(By United Press.

Chicago, March 30.—The Socialist national convention will be held at Indianapolis May 12th. Announcement was made today by John M. Work, national secretary of the Socialist party, that the referendum vote of the party which has been in progress for over a month resulted in 22,501 for Indianapolis and 11,522 for Oklahoma City.

SUIT AGAINST STEAMSHIP COMPANIES

(By United Press.)

New York, March 30—An anti-trust suit for the dissolution of various steamship companies engaged in traffic between New York and the far east via the Suez canal will be filed in a few days in the federal court by District Attorney Wise. The companies are charged in the bill with pooling freight rates and relating to the concerns who ship only by their lines in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Five steamship companies are being sued.

PUT IT UP TO GOVERNOR

(By Associated Press.)

Springfield, Ill., March 30—The lower house of the Illinois legislature passed the presidential preference primary bill today without a dissenting vote, 110 ayes being reported. The bill stands just as it left the senate and will now be sent to Governor Deneen for his approval or rejection. It is thought he will immediately sign the bill.

Glycerine Lets Go 4 Dead

(By Associated Press.)

Tucson, Ariz., March 30.—Four people are thought to have been blowed to atoms by the premature discharge of several quarts of glycerine here last evening. The two brothers, named Shuster, who were getting ready to shoot a test oil well, were blown to fragments, pieces of their clothing having been found at various places in a near-by field. Two boys who were fishing in a stream are thought to have been killed outright, although their bodies have not as yet been found. Many fish were scattered about the fields, while parts of the fishing rods were found scattered 200 feet away.

CHINK OFFICIAL MAY RESIGN

(By Associated Press.)

London, Eng., March 30—It is rumored in Tien Tsin, says a dispatch, that President Yuan Shi Kai, of the Chinese republic, will resign and ask the powers to guarantee him protection. He will retire from public life.

TEDDY TALKED

(By United Press.)

Milwaukee, Wis., March 30—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt en route to Chicago from Minnesota, made a ten minutes rear platform talk to about 300 persons who greeted him at 9:45 o'clock today.

This was the Colonel's only stop in Senator La Follette's home state.

STREET DUEL FATAL

(By Associated Press.)

Atchison, Kas., March 30—In a street duel today G. W. Robinson, white, was killed and Wm. Edson, a negro, was fatally wounded. Robinson shot Edson and the latter managed to rise up and shoot Robinson to death.

BANK WRECKER NOW DEAD

(By Associated Press.)

New York, March 30—The dead body of James Dean Fish, 93, was found at his home here today. Fish was at one time president of the Marine bank, which failed years ago, sweeping all the savings of General U. S. Grant in the crash. Fish was given a long term in the Auburn penitentiary.

Race Riot Fizzled

(By Associated Press.)

Blacksburg, S. C., March 30—The threatened race trouble between an armed posse and four hundred negroes, following the lynching of two colored criminals here Friday, has blown away. The negroes scattered themselves in a church on the outskirts of this city and the town was in an uproar most of the night. Just at daylight the negroes dispersed and all is quiet again.

IN TWENTY-TWO YEARS.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 30. —"Twenty-two years from now robbers will use flying machines," said Superintendent of Police Thomas A. McGuaide, in an interview. "But there will be sky detectives, too."

SHOEWORKERS TO FORM BIG UNION

(By Associated Press.)

Boston, Mass., March 30—Representatives of the various shoeworkers' unions throughout the United States to the number of several thousand are assembled here today to take action on the amalgamation of all shoe trades unions in the country. Plans were drafted which it is said will tend to prevent strikes.

Army Of Carpenters Ordered To Strike

(By United Press.)

Chicago, March 30.—The executive counsel of the carpenters union today issued a general strike order to 17,000 members of the local organ. The men are directed to report at union headquarters Monday instead of going to work. According to union officials the strike will cause a complete suspension of all trade unions within two weeks.

PRESIDENTIAL HANDICAP

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 30—Directors of presidential booms contributed their claims of delegates up to and including today as follows:

Republicans

Delegates in the convention, 1076.
Claimed for Taft, 271.
Necessary to choice, 539.
Claimed for Roosevelt, 62.
Claimed for Cummins, 2.
Claimed for La Follette, 10.

Democrats

Delegates in the convention, 1092.
Necessary to choice, 728.
Claimed for Clark, 66.
Claimed for Wilson, 38.
Pledged for Marshall, 30.
Pledged for Burke, 10.
Pledged for Harmon, 3.

HALF WITTED BOY KILLS OFFICER

(By Associated Press.)

Elton, Md., March 30—Sheriff John M. Miller, of Cecil county, was shot and fatally wounded by Tony Duke, a half witted boy. The boy got a revolver and when the sheriff attempted to take it away from him, shot him through the stomach.

KILLED IN PISTOL DUEL

(By Associated Press.)

Whitesburg, Ky., March 30—E. C. Cook and Charles Caudill were both killed in a pistol duel here today in the street. Caudill fell first and as he lay on the ground pumped shots into Cook until he was dead. Caudill died later.

HUNTED LEAK WITH LAMP, IS BLOWN UP

By Associated Press.)

Akron, O., March 30—Enock Loose and his wife, their daughter and Frank Schaffer, a boarder, were all burned this morning when they set out to run down a gas leak with a lighted match. They found the leak in the bath room and they landed outside the house through the force of the explosion that followed.

DEMURRERS NOT ARGUED

(By Associated Press.)

Cincinnati, March 30—Demurrers to the indictment of National Cash Register Co. officials and employes of Dayton, Ohio, were not argued today but will be heard April 6th. District Attorney McPherson said today that the indicted persons could plea in the districts where they reside and need not come to Cincinnati to enter pleas.

Man Found Frozen

(By Associated Press.)

Mansfield, O., March 30.—The body of Joseph Grohol who disappeared Dec. 26, 1911, was found frozen in the ice of Black Fork creek at Shelby today.

TURN DOWN $400,000 FOR VATICAN 'MOVIES'

(By United Press.)

Rome, March 30.—The vatican officials today refused an offer of $400,000, made by moving picture men for the privilege of taking "movies" of the Pope receiving the Easter pilgrimage. This is the most stupendous offer ever made for a series of pictures, but it was admitted such a set of films, if perfect, would be the greatest money-maker ever taken. The promoters had received enormous financial bids from every country for the privilege of showing the pictures.

Want J. P. To Testify

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 30.—The Stanley Steel Trust investigating committee is averse to adjourning until it has had a chance to hear the testimony of J. P. Morgan. Chairman Stanley announced at executive session today that all witnesses available had been heard and at once there was a demand that no adjournment be taken until Mr. Morgan had returned from Europe.

INJURED MAN IN HOSPITAL

John Boston, who was injured by falling from a box car at the Terminals this morning, is in the hospital at the Y. M. C. A., and is more seriously injured than was at first supposed. He was repairing the car.

STATE RESTS IN MURDER CASE

(By United Press.)

Lancaster, O., March 30— The state rested in the trial of Mrs. Nancy Hall, charged with the murder of her daughter, Ruth, shortly after 9 o'clock today. A motion by the defense to take the case from the jury because they alleged the state's evidence was insufficient was overruled by Judge Reeves.

Detective Cleary who is said to have secured most of the evidence against Mrs. Hall was not put on the stand. The state rested immediately after the testimony of Coroner Bugh.

Eighty witnesses have been summoned by defense, 65 of whom have been sworn already. Several witnesses testified as to the good character of Mrs. Hall.

LA FOLLETTE TO INVADE NEBRASKA

(By Associated Press.)

Lincoln, Neb., March 30—Senator Robert La Follette will begin a speaking tour in this state next week in the interest of his own presidential candidacy.

At the same time other La Follette boosters will invade other states.

CLOSING IN ON OUTLAWS

(By Associated Press.)

Hillsville, Va., March 30—With grim determination stamped upon their features and using all kinds of precaution, Detective Felts and his men resumed their search for fugitive Sidna Allen and his band of outlaws who shot up the court house recently. The detectives are sanguine the outlaws have taken up their stand in what is known as "No Man's Land" on the border of the Carolinas, and are confident they will be beaten out of the mountain brush within the next twenty-four hours.

ATLANTIC PIER DESTROYED BY FIRE

(By Associated Press.)

Atlantic City, March 30—2500 feet of the Great Atlantic ocean pier was completely destroyed by fire last night, entailing a loss of $250,000. All but 15 feet near the shore were licked up by the flames, which threatened the famous board walk. The fire was discovered shortly after midnight and although every department in the city responded, the blaze crept steadily on, being fanned by the hard breeze. During the blaze six firemen were injured, none seriously.

(By Associated Press.)

Boston, Mass., March 30—The Brighton abbattoir, containing more than 10 tons of pork products, was completely destroyed by fire today. The loss will reach $100,000, partially insured.

COTTON OPERATORS GET BIG INCREASE

(By Associated Press.)

Boston, March 30.—Cotton operators in New England today agreed to give employes an increase of ten per cent in wages. They had hitherto only consented to five per cent increase. 100,000 men will be affected. The increase will average ten million dollars a year.

MINERS TO STRIKE FOR AT LEAST TWO WEEKS, PENDING VOTE RESULT

EFFECTS OF THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE.

Bituminous miners idle, 471,000.
Anthracite coal miners idle, 168,000.
Bituminous wages lost in the two weeks, $8,170,000.
Cost in output in the same length of time ,$8,915,102.
Cost in output of bituminous mines about 14,000,000 tons.

(By United Press.)

Cleveland, O., March 30—The compromise agreement affected by a sub-scale committee offering a solution of the bituminous miners' wage controversy was ratified this afternoon by a joint committee of the whole composed of 32 miners' representatives and a like number of the operators, submitted immediately to a referendum vote in the bituminous district of Indiana, Ohio, Illinois and Pennsylvania.

The outcome will be known in about two weeks.

(By United Press.)

Complete suspension of coal mining industries of the United States for at least two weeks beginning next Monday will result from a wage scale compromise offered early today by the bituminous miners and operators joint conference following eight hours suspension of all the anthracite mines.

Almost 670,000 miners in the hard and soft coal fields will become idle next Monday pending the taking of a referendum vote on the question of a strike in both fields. The compromise affected by the sub-scale committee gives the miners an increase of 5 cents a ton on screened lump and 3 cents a ton on mine run coal. An early renewal of scale negotiations between President John P. White, of the miners, and President George F. Baer of the operators' association in the behalf of the anthracite miners and operators is looked for.

Threatened Strike Causes Big Lay-off.

(By Associated Press.)

Scranton, Pa., March 30.—The Erie railroad at Dunmore, near here, laid off 600 employes today owing to the mining situation. All trains will be suspended on the Wyoming lines except two passengers and a local freight.

W. Va. Miners Are Opposed To Compromise.

(By United Press.)

Wheeling, W. Va., March 30.—Miners, officials and men in the Eastern Ohio bituminous fields declared today their opposition to the compromise agreement affected by the miners operators in the Cleveland, O., conference. An overwhelming majority against the compromise is likely to be recorded in this field at the referendum vote. Ohio miners resent the compromise because the Illinois miners already have the mine run basis and are expected to vote for the settlement which will not benefit the other bituminous districts.

Pennsylvania Miners Are Out

(By Associated Press.)

Shomokin, Pa., March 30—Not waiting for the official notice of the impending strike, from the miners' officials, the miners in this district walked out in a solid body, this morning. They carried their tools with them and agreed they would not re-enter the mines until they had been granted a 20 per cent increase in their wage scale.

Bridgeport Miners Lay Down Tools

(By Associated Press.)

Bridgeport, O., March 30—More than 80,000 bituminous coal miners in the Eastern Ohio fields quit work at noon today pending the outcome of the referendum vote on the Cleveland compromise agreement. Many miners have declared their opposition to the agreement.

England Miners Returning To Work

London, Eng., March 30—Returns from scattered districts throughout the coal fields, indicate that a vast majority of the miners have voted to return to work. At Monmouthshire the striking miners voted 5 to 1 for the resumption of work. Many miners have re-entered the mines and it is now thought that by Monday a 50 per cent force would be at work. A conference between the miners and operators is now being held at Glasgow.

Operators Will Not Recognize Union.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, March 30.—A prominent anthracite coal operator said today that operators would not consent to a recognition of the miners union as they regarded that question settled by the anthracite commission. He said there would likely be a split over a ten per cent increase, but that they would all agree to a five per cent increase.

(By Associated Press.)

London, March 30—The Welsh miners, who were the most insistent strikers are voting more than three to one to return to work.

CLUB EXEMPT FROM TAXES

Columbus, O., March 30.—(Spl.)—Prosecuting Attorney Small of Portsmouth is advised by Attorney General Hogan that All Saints Parish, Club building, for Sunday school, club purposes, etc., because of being used for the general uplift of the mind and body, is exempt from taxes. Blake.

I've noticed a heap o' talk here o' late about muzzlin' th' dogs. Come t' think of it this muzzlin' idea ain't so bad properly worked out. If it wuz just extended a bit and applied to th' Ohio con con an' a few other things it might be real useful. How's that? Apply it to th' weather man? Not on your life. Th' public wouldn't stand for it. They've got t' have weather.

Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair tonight, increasing cloudiness Sunday; no change in temperature.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and Sunday; increasing cloudiness.

Need More Money To Build More Houses

An interesting statement of the Portsmouth Savings & Loan Company today calls attention to a need of Portsmouth—more savers who will put their money where it is safe and may be used. The city is in truth so prosperous that it is becoming a question of how to get the money necessary to build homes for its workers who are able to build if given a little temporary aid in the way of a loan.

Undoubtedly there is much money in Portsmouth not in circulation, hidden in socks, nooks and various secret places, liable to be stolen or destroyed. The peculiar thing about such hidden money is that the owner runs the risk of losing all, yet stands no chance of any gain. What is stated about the Portsmouth Savings & Loan Company is equally true of the other savings institutions and of the local banks. As a matter of fact Portsmouth is peculiarly fortunate in having her banking interests, without exception, in the hands of conservative men. Those who have the real interests of the city at heart should at all times urge on their friends at all times urge on their friends money in the banks or the savings and loan companies, where it will benefit the owner and the city.

Exciting Runaway On The West Side

To be behind a frightened runaway team, to smash a mail carrier's wagon to pieces, and finally to be thrown against a telegraph pole and not be injured, was the experience of Otis Shively of McGaw, Saturday morning at nine o'clock.

Mr. Shively was driving two large horses and as he was passing over the bridge at Turkey Creek the horses evidently became frightened at the rattling of the bridge and began to run. Mr. Shively was unable to control the team and for a quarter of a mile the horses ran before stopping. At the top of the hill at Friendship they plunged into Mail Carrier Harrison Filson's wagon and tore the wheel off, damaging the wagon to such an extent that he was compelled to change wagons before he could deliver his mail on Pond Run.

When the horses reached Henry Cole's farm they ran off a bridge and threw Mr. Shively out of the buggy against a telephone pole.

Mr. Shively was not hurt at all, but one of his horses was slightly bruised and the single-tree of the buggy broken.

Friends quickly came to Mr. Shively's assistance and after his buggy had been repaired he came to Portsmouth.

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Fisher & Streich, Pure Drug Co., Worster Bros., L. H. Stewart, Red Cross Phar., Unger's Phar.

REV. HOWARD AT HOME

Rev. W. H. Howard, of the United Brethren church, has returned from Columbus where he attended the joint meeting of the committee to arrange the program for the Y. P. C. Convention and ministerial institute of the Southeast Conference of the United Brethren church will meets in Jackson the week of June 23.

Will Speak At Y. M. C. A.

Rev. W. H. Christian will make an address on Easter Sunday at the Y. M. C. A. at 1:30 o'clock.

Mr. Coe A Visitor.

Maurice Coe, who is now connected with the State Bureau of Accountant, was in the city Saturday. For several weeks he has been located in Hamilton county. He is making his headquarters in Cincinnati.

BILLY M'COY IN THE CITY

Billy McCoy is in the city to pay a short visit to relatives and old friends. He has just resigned the superintendency of the Bering shoe factory in Cincinnati, and is temporarily jobless. He has received flattering offers from a shoe firm in Auburn, N. Y., and another at St. Paul, Minn., and he doesn't know which one to accept. He is considered one of the best all around shoe men in the country, a tribute to local shoe-making methods, as it was in this old town that he acquired most of his knowledge.

A Cold, La Grippe, Then Pneumonia

Is too often the fatal sequence, and coughs that hang on weaken the system and lower the vital resistance. R. G. Collins, Postmaster, Barnegat, N. J., was troubled with a severe la grippe cough. He says: "I would be completely exhausted after each fit of violent coughing. I bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and before I had taken it all the coughing spells had entirely ceased. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound can't be beat." It stops the cough by healing the cause. Refuse substitutes.

For sale by Fisher & Streich.

Dr. Ball Coming

Dr. W. H. Ball, of New York City, will arrive in the city next Thursday and speak at the Ry. Y. M. C. A., Thursday and Friday nights; also at the shops at the noon hour.

Dr. Ball is a member of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. and is an expert on sanitation.

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REV. M'AFEE AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Rev. T. H. McAfee, the popular pastor of the First Baptist church, will address the men's meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. This will be an evangelistic service, and Rev. McAfee will make an evangelistic address. The music will be in charge of Miss Bertha Staiger, who will also sing several solos. Miss Letta Adams, Y. M. C. A. deaconess will be at the piano.

A cordial invitation is extended to all men to be present at this service. Personal Workers are especially urged to be present and assist in the service.

Locate At Roanoke.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stiff, of 324 Robinson avenue, left Saturday for Roanoke, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Stiff has been employed as an engineer on this division of the N. & W., and has been laid off indefinitely, owing to a let up in the coal shipments.

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You men with high clothes ideals ought to know how good New Idea clothes are. How masterly the designing. How moderate the prices for the money's worth that's in them.

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Many Realty Deals Are Being Closed

The following real estate deals were closed Saturday by Charles V. Wertz:

John McMahon, a local mail-carrier, bought Charley Amann's home at Logan street and Franklin avenue. Consideration, $2,500. Mr. Amann for the past few months has been located in Amelia, Ohio.

Mrs. Idora Voorheis bought a five room cottage at 112 West Fifth street from Horace L. Small.

Mrs. Bridget Rudity bought a six-room cottage in the Mound addition, from Mr. Wertz. Consideration, $2,000.

Hugh Rudity bought a home at 629 East Seventh street, from Mr. Wertz. Consideration, $2,500.

Mr. Wertz sold a lot on Oakland street to William Barbee. Consideration, $750.

Mrs. Dollie Frederick purchased John Call's home on Summitt street. Consideration, $2,500.

Meeting At Tank Shop

Rev. J. W. Dunning will hold a shop meeting at the tank shop at the Terminals, next Monday.

Trousers Damaged.

Wm. Daugherty of West Second street, while going west on Third street Friday evening fell to the pavement. His left hand was badly cut and his knee painfully bruised but worst of all his trousers were damaged beyond repair.

Many Driven From Home

Every year, in many parts of the country, thousands are driven from their homes by coughs and lung diseases. Friends and business are left behind for other climates, but this is costly and not always sure. A better way—the way of multitudes—is to use Dr. King's New Discovery and cure yourself at home. Stay right there, with your friends, and take this safe medicine. Throat and lung troubles find quick relief and health returns. It helps in coughs, colds, grip, croup, whooping-cough and sore lungs make it a positive blessing. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

Charles V. Wertz secured a permit Saturday to erect a new 6-room house on the east side of High street between Grant street and Hutchins avenue to cost $2000.

Save money at The Royal Savings & Loan Co., 819 Gallia St.

Finish Inspection For The Waterworks

Service Director John M. Williams says the four water works inspectors appointed a month or so ago will likely finish their work next week. The inspectors have found much building going on in Portsmouth. They have found instances too of some property owners having drawn a water supply from the city for 20 years without ever having paid any rent for the same.

All of the information gathered by the inspectors in their canvass will be turned over to City Treasurer David L. Edwards for his information in revising the waterworks books. Some of the inspectors have met with rebuffs in their work some property owners refusing to admit them to their homes. Mr. Williams when hearing of such cases ordered the inspectors to display their badges and enter the houses over the protests of the occupants.

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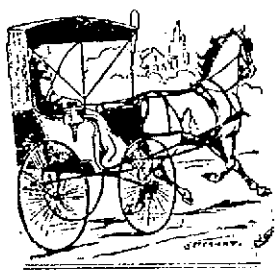

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THREE CONVENTIONS COME TO PORTSMOUTH

Three Democratic conventions will be held in Portsmouth on July sixth, in pursuance of a call issued by committees which met at the Washington hotel Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The conventions are the senatorial for the district composed of Adams, Jackson, Scioto and Pike; the common pleas judicial for this subdivision, composed of the counties of Adams, Jackson, Scioto, Pike and Lawrence, and the circuit judicial convention of the fourth circuit, which will nominate a candidate for the seat now filled by Judge Thomas A. Jones of Jackson. The calls for the conventions will be issued by the various committee, in due form within a few days, as soon as they can be prepared, by the secretaries and the proper apportionment of delegates made. In the senatorial convention the apportionment was fixed at one delegate for every 300 votes cast for Judson Harmon in 1910. The delegates are to be selected by the various counties in such manner as the controlling committees shall decide. The same apportionment was decided upon by the other committees.

The date July sixth was fixed upon as it came after the national convention and it was felt that there could be a big ratification meeting, so to speak, of the work of that convention.

There was a large attendance at the meetings called by Vallee Harold, state central committeeman, representative Democrats from each county being present. Conspicuous were State Printer E. A. Crawford of Adams county, Assistant Attorney General Joseph McGhee of Jackson county, Chaplain D. J. Richards of the Ohio penitentiary, who was a personal appointee of Gov. Harmon; Attorney John O. Yates, George W. Nance, Capt. P. S. Hart, Editor C. E. Berridge, Editor John C. Gorman, Dr. W. S. Eakman and others from Ironton; Dr. E. T. Dando, Editor W. J. Huske, Dr. Oscar McLaughlin from Jackson county; Probate Judge Charles P. Gableman, Editor J. W. Johnson, Hon. James H. Moore, Attorney C. E. Caldwell, Edward Donovan and others from Pike county. In addition there were a number from Gallia headed by Editor M. F. Merriman from Gallipolis.

Incidental to the calling of the various conventions there was much discussion of national delegates and the selection of candidates for various places, such as common pleas judges, circuit judges and congress. Sentiment seemed to crystalize for Oscar W. Newman of Portsmouth, and W. P. Stephenson of West Union for common pleas judges, and every one present was enthusiastic for them.

The name of Hon. John A. Eyler of Waverly, was mentioned in connection with the circuit judgeship.

For delegates to the national convention at Baltimore the names of Vallee Harold of Portsmouth, Editor M. F. Merriman of Gallipolis, Dr. W. S. Eakman of Ironton, N. N. Potts of Ironton and Mr. Christy of Ironton, were mentioned. Mr. Harold and Mr. Merriman will certainly be candidates at the primary and it is probable that Lawrence county may center upon some one. There is also talk of a candidacy from Adams. Alternates have not been announced as yet.

There was no effort to endorse any one Saturday. It was felt that the election was one for the Democrats of the district to decide upon at the primary, that the field was open and any one who wanted to be a candidate should be given a fair chance.

Naturally there was much discussion of the presidential situation. Governor Harmon had earnest supporters and some indifferent supporters. He also had some earnest opponents, lukewarm opponents and indifferent opponents among those present. It was a curious fact that among the opponents of Gov. Harmon there was little Wilson sentiment—they were mostly Champ Clark men.

By common consent there was no effort to endorse any or even discuss in the session the candidacy of any one. It was felt that this matter could be better fought out at the primary May 21st and every one there would get a full chance to express himself.

The meeting was a most satisfactory and harmonious one.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

New Machines Arrive.

Ford machines recently ordered by Merle Dudnit, John Simonton and Dr. J. W. Fitch have arrived and they will soon be enrolled among the local motorists.

John Kilcoyne Saturday placed an order with W. J. Friel for a Ford touring car.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

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Should you at this moment be suffering from Indigestion or any stomach disorder, you can surely get relief within five minutes.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

PEEPER PAID HIS FINE

Edwin Hallan, the Philadelphia traveling man who was arrested the other night and locked up for peeping into the windows of an East Second street home, paid his fine Friday night and was released. Going to the Washington Hotel, Hallan stormed about the lobby, berating the officials, and it was only that he was threatened with ejectment did he hush.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Open Meeting Monday Eve.

There will be an open meeting of Central Labor council Monday night, and all members are urged to attend. A discussion of the miners' strike and other important matters of interest will probably be brought up at the meeting.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Salvation Army

The Salvation Army throughout the United States will hold a prayer and self-denial week beginning Sunday, March 31, and continuing through April 7.

Several special services will be held at the local quarters next wek. Staff Captain Widgery, the Young People's Secretary, of Cleveland, will speak here Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

A musical and song service will be held on Thursday evening and Friday evening an entertainment will be given. Living tableaux, representing "The Availing Book of Ages" will be presented. Ten cents will be charged for the entertainment.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Here From Cleveland.

Rudolph Morton, formerly located here with the Morton Tractor Company, came down from Cleveland Saturday to remain over Sunday with local friends.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Lets Contract For House.

Charles V. Wertz Saturday let the contract to Charles Busse for the erection of a six-room house on High street.

Save money at The Royal Savings & Loan Co., 819 Gallia St.

Issues Call For 900 At Sunday School

Rev. Crayton S. Brooks telegraphed from Lexington, Ky., Saturday afternoon, that he would arrive here Sunday in plenty of time for all the services of the Lord's Day at the First Christian church. He asked the Times to issue a call for 900 at Sunday school tomorrow, and it now looks as though that mark would be reached, as the weather man seems once more to be on his good behavior.

Rev. Brooks will speak at both morning and evening services, and although he has not announced the subject for his two sermons, those in attendance can rest assured that they will be more than pleased.

PROF. M'COWEN TO CONDUCT NORMAL

Prof. E. O. McCowen, superintendent of the Wheelersburg schools who so successfully conducted a normal school last summer, has announced that he will open the school again and will begin an eight weeks' course May 20.

Forty-four were enrolled in the course last summer, some of whom did work in the college credit and many others got better certificates after doing the summer work. Many have already enrolled for the term this year.

The work planned for this year will be of particular advantage to the county teachers. Good Boxwell-Patterson students will find the work suited to them.

It is likely that eight higher branches will be offered and another high school teacher may be hired to assist Prof. McCowen in the work.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

MAURICE COE IN THE CITY

Maurice Coe, former deputy auditor, now connected with the state bureau of public accounting was in town Saturday. Mr. Coe run up from Cincinnati where he has been for some weeks engaged in making an inspection of the various offices in Hamilton county, for the purpose of storing his household goods. It will require some time yet for him to complete the inspection in Hamilton county. Maurice is looking well and living in the Queen City certainly agrees with him as he has gained 20 pounds in weight since going there. Mrs. Coe and children are with him in Cincinnati.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Hands Him Rough Jolt

Commissioner William Bennett was in town Saturday walking with a slight limp. Wednesday, at his home, he approached too near the war end of a livery horse driven by Surveyor Wilhelm and it resented the familiarity by elevating its heels and handing the commissioner a jolt leaving the full impression in black and blue on his thigh.

Locates In Cincinnati.

Wm. F. Bradford, a local piano dealer, has decided to reside in Cincinnati, and his household effects were shipped to the Queen City Saturday.

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Red Men Doing Things

Seneca Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, is waking up. A class of ten pale-faces were admitted to the wigwam Friday night, and another class will be initiated next week.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Business Visitor.

Thomas E. Lewis, prosperous farmer of Slocum Station, was a business visitor here Friday.

PROMINENT ODD FELLOW SAVED FROM CATARRH---BY PE-RU-NA.

Mr. George Parrott.
Member of the Noble Grand Lodge, No. 135, Independent Order Odd Fellows, Glencoe, Ontario.

A NEGLECTED COUGH— DANGERGUS CATARRH FOLLOWED.

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Dyspepsia Twenty Years.

Mr. Sidney Wessels, Merritton, Ont., Canada, writes:

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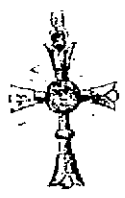

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WITH THE REVIVAL FRIDAY

(By Milford Keyes.)

Emerson says in one of his essays, speaking of religious matters: "When the appeal is made to numbers, acknowledgment is made that religion is not"—Emerson's terse way of saying that a great crowd don't make religion. In his sermon at Bigelow, Rev. Hughes evidently had something like this in mind, though not quoting Emerson, and possibly not agreeing with all the views of the seer of Concord. What he did mean was that because there had not been a great outpouring at the now closing revival season was no indication that the revival was a failure. If the congregations of the two two churches had been drawn closer together, that was much; if the seeds of love had been planted and the weeds of bitterness, if any ever existed, had been dug up and burned up, that was much more. If men and women in the two congregations had been led to think and talk in terms of love, even there was no great upheaval, a great step had been taken in the right direction.

The pastor read from the old testament concerning the wars between the children of Israel and the Philistines, in which it was shown that victory in the temple—spiritual victory—is of much more importance than victory in the field. The Israelites were true to the Ark of the Covenant, but the Philistines were stronger and better disciplined than the Israelites and were victorious in the field. But the children were true to their ideals and ceremonials; true to the God of their fathers, and what is the result? Today there is not a nook or corner of the world in civilized and uncivilized lands, but what the people know of the children of Israel, or have heard of them. But who hears anything of the Philistines? Possibly not one person out of a hundred, even among enlightened nations, he said, can tell anything about them. Their victory was in the field, without the spiritual ideal even of that crude day, and their victory was really a defeat. The Jews lost in the field and won in the temple, and while without national existence, they are a power to be reckoned with in the world at this late day. They were the medium through which Christianity was given to the world, and the line through which Jesus came. But a new dispensation was given and the glory of Judaism departed, but not the result of its ideals. He mentioned other instances in history—Greece, Rome, Carthage, etc.—their martial glory is gone, but the influence of their victories in the temple will endure while time lasts. Greece gave us our ideals in art and beauty; Rome gave us our religion.

The preacher applied the principle to modern life. Men like Carnegie amassed immense fortunes, but had no spiritual life, and to that extent they are failures. They won in the field and lost in the temple. Carnegie only lately acknowledged that he had not been inside a church for years. Who wants his wealth with such a record? He alluded to the trusts and captains of industry; they were successful in the field and lost out in the temple. No one envies them. The same way in politics and the professions. Who would want to be a Boss Cox? There have been famous orators who were without Christ, but their names are dropping out of people's lives and memories. Calhoun, pure of mind and a Christian, but with wrong views of politics, as many think, made a name that still goes down the ages; he won in the temple but lost in the field. His name will be known when Ingersoll and Voltaire are forgotten or execrated.

The pastor took a fall out of that oft quoted bible saying, "Never have I seen the children of the righteous begging bread." This, he said, was the expression and opinion of an individual, and was far from being true. The children of the righteous and the righteous themselves are often seen begging bread. A victory in the temple does not mean material profit, but their victory comes just the same, and it is lasting. Paul adhered to his new born ideal and suffered and died for it, but his was a temple victory, and today no name in history is mentioned oftener than his, and no influence more potent in all that goes to make life worth living. He instanced the awakening of China as an evidence of a victory in the temple, gained by Christian missionaries. He said our system was at fault, inasmuch as it inculcated the idea of utilitarianism, ignoring the spiritual and ethical completely. This would result in ultimate disaster to the nation. He said in New England the old family bible has lost its place in the home; a false standard of victory is set up; the dollar has crowded out the bible. Hence New England today is dotted all over with abandoned farms; she is losing her splendid national life; her sons and daughters are following the open bible westward, and the foreigner is coming in and setting up his ideals. New England has lost out in the temple.

If America would have a life worth while, he said; yea, if she is to preserve any national life at all, she must hasten to the temple, renew her ideals, rehabilitate the Ark of the Covenant; otherwise she must go the way of all other nations that have lost their ideals, looked to the field and lost the victory in the temple. The heart life is the only life.

Rev. Dunning spoke briefly, urging the two congregations to keep up the love that has been engendered between them by these meetings. He hoped the two churches would live closer together. The moral conditions in the city were perilous, and it behooved all Christians to reconsecrate their lives and live and work and pray for better and purer Portsmouth.

The singing was good, the Edwards Sisters rendering some of their finest quartettes and solos.

Rev. Freund, of the German Evangelical church, offered the opening prayer.

C. A. Glossner, 24 Ontario St., Rochester, N. Y., has recovered from a long and severe attack of kidney trouble, his cure being due to Foley Kidney Pills. After detailing his case, he says: "I am only sorry I did not learn sooner of Foley Kidney Pills. In a few days' time my backache completely left me and I felt greatly improved. My kidneys became stronger, dizzy spells left me and I was no longer annoyed at night. I feel 100 per cent better since using Foley Kidney Pills." Tonic in action, quick in results. Try them.

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....Torpid Liver	...Heart Trouble	...Dizziness	...Hot Flashes
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....Stomach Trouble	...Poor Circulation	...Obesity	...Leucorrhoea

Give any other symptoms on a separate sheet. Correspondence in all languages.

Agency For Motorcycles

Edward Hoeckner has taken the agency for the Pope motorcycle, a popular priced machine for which great claims are made.

STYLE SHOP MAY MOVE

Archie Goodman, proprietor of the Style Shop, stated Saturday that a deal would likely be closed Monday which would result in his store getting a new home, one that will be one of the most conveniently located in the city. The negotiations have been pending for the past ten days.

Dick Killed Five Ducks

Dick Thornton killed five large mallard ducks in the Scioto bottom lands Friday afternoon.

Save money at The Royal Savings & Loan Co., 619 Gallia St.

Miss Kerrigan In First Place

Miss Fannie Kerrigan, of this city, continues to hold first place in the Atlantic City contest conducted by the Catholic Columbian of Columbus. Miss Kerrigan now has 27835 votes to her credit.

Stemshorn In City

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stemshorn, who are in vaudeville, arrived here Saturday to spend a week with relatives and friends. They laid off this week as Mrs. Stemshorn has been troubled with a heavy cold. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCoy of Cincinnati, last recently they filled engagements in Roswell, N. M., Oklahoma City and St. Louis.

Joe Is A Hustler

Joe Schneider, local agent for the Pittsburg visible typewriter, has sold one of his machines to the village of New Boston. Mr. Schneider will also meet with the New Boston council Monday night with a view to selling a supply of oil for the oiling of the village's streets. He has the exclusive rights for this and seven other counties for prince white oil made in Oil City, Pa.

Will Take Law Course.

Moses Ratcliff of Carter City, Ky., is here visiting friends enroute to his home from Berea, Ky., where he placed his son, Earl in college. The young man will take a law course.

TAFT DELEGATES ARE PICKED OUT

Hist!

Hist again!

And hist once more!

The secret meeting place of the Taft gang boomers has been discovered! For the past few nights the office of Sheriff John Eckhart has been the trysting place.

And while the dear public has been sleeping the sleep of the just, the powers that be, namely Butch Adams, John Williams, Henry Becker, Jos. T. Micklethwait, Roy McElhaney, John Gillen, George Davis, Bob Myers, and last but not lease, Attorney Harry W. Miller, who holds a very important position in the Taft official family at Washington, D. C., met, plotted and planned to elect County Treasurer George Davis of this county and ex-Congressman Rom Johnson of Ironton, as the Taft delegates from the Tenth district.

These would-be-saviours of the Republican party, have not taken into their confidence Messrs. Tynes and Hutchins, who did not know of the secret meetings until Saturday. The Taft boomers believe they will be able to save the country without the assistance of the Hutchins-Tynes administration.

It was unanimously decided at the meeting, Thursday evening to stand loyally by President Taft, and to leave no stone unturned to elect Messrs. Davis of Scioto county and Johnson of Lawrence county, as the Taft delegates. As soon as the machinery is well oiled, it is thought the Taft boomers will attempt to pull off a big Taft rally to which the common people whose faith is of the Republican brand will be invited to attend and whoop 'er up for Big Bill.

At the secret meeting Thursday evening, ex-Sheriff John Gillen pulled his petition for the nomination of representative from Scioto county, from his pocket and begged his friends to sign. All are said to have affixed their signatures with the exception of Attorney Jos. T. Micklethwaite, who ducked the issue and then left the meeting in a huff.

It is now stated that Deputy Clerk "Butch" Adams will be chosen as the Taft manager. The place was offered to Attorney Bob Myers, but he was fearful lest the election board would get after him and he turned his face to the wall and shed tears because of his inability to accept the place. The suite of rooms, formerly occupied by Dr. P. W. Young on Chillicothe street, will become the headquarters of the Taft boomers. The place will be fitted throughout with new furniture and filtered water will always be on tap for visitors.

Saved Daughter's Life

This Father Refused to Let His Daughter Die.

Here is a story with a moral that many parents might take to heart:

"My daughter was very pale, nervous, thin and suffered with severe pain in her back, so that we took her out of school. Her flesh became blue and she could not retain her urine. I spent over $100 for medicines, but she grew worse. Finally I bought a bottle of Thompson's Barosma and she began to grow better right away. Five bottles of Thompson's Barosma made a complete cure, and today she is a perfectly healthy girl. Thompson's Barosma saved her life, for she was failing so fast that death was not far off."—Frank D. Meeder, Pleasantville, Pa.

If you are troubled with backache, sideache, weakness in the back or any liver or kidney trouble, then it's time for Thompson's Barosma.

The Pure Drug Co. sells Thompson's Barosma in two sizes, 50 cents and $1.000, and he guarantees it to cure Bright's disease, high-colored urine, bed-wetting, and all other kidney and liver diseases. It will make anyone vigorous in a few weeks, because it is a great tonic and maker of rich red blood. All druggists.

It Pays To Advertise

George Kennard, a well known Kentucky stock raiser, was in the city Friday and purchased "Dandy Jim" the stallion belonging to W. H. Sparks. Mr. Kennard paid $500 for the horse.

Mr. Sparks advertised the animal in The Times and had no sooner sold it to Mr. Kennard than a man named Mullen of Wheelersburg called upon him to purchase the horse.

NEW STOMACH RELIEF GETS COUNTRY-WIDE ENDORSEMENT.

The new remedy for indigestion called "Digestil," has been found a certain quick relief and permanent remedy for stomach disorders. Letters from thousands who had suffered the tortures of indigestion and got relief from the use of "Digestil" are evidence of its merit. The enormous increase in demand from every part of the country is proof of its popularity. But you do not have to take anybody's word for it—try it yourself on an absolute guarantee, get a package and if you don't get relief you can get your money back for the asking. "Digestil" is a little tablet easy to swallow, and absolutely harmless. It digests all the food, prevents fermentation, stops gas formation, prevents stomach distress after eating, aids assimilation, relieves indigestion almost instantly and cures dyspepsia—50 cents. Ask at Fisher & Streich Pharmacy and Geo. W. Freund Pharmacy.

FANCY VESTINGS

We have just received the largest line of Fancy Vestings ever brought to the city, in Silks, Worsteds and Wash Vestings.

Great Suit Line

Our line of Spring and Summer Suitings is the largest ever displayed in the city, comprising Worsteds, Cassimeres, Serges, Cheviots, etc., in any shade you would care for.

The Three Little Tailors

20 GALLIA STREET

BEGS MONEY, AND GETS ON DRUNK

Lee Sturgill, a crippled pencil vender, who for the past few months has been holding forth on Chillicothe street, fell from grace Friday evening.

Sturgill since coming here from Elliott county, Ky., had by his general deportment won the sympathy and friendship of prominent business men. A certain wholesale grocer had kept him supplied with pencils, oftimes giving him a lot free of charge and even went to the trouble to recommend him to Chief of Police Philipps Friday as worthy of a license. Sturgill had not been away from police headquarters more than a couple of hours when word came he was lying in a helpless heap at Fourth and Chillicothe streets. It required two officers to drag the limp form bodily to the city prison, while a third brought up the rear with the cripple's crutches. He had become paralyzed on bad booze.

Sturgill was given a severe scoring by Mayor Tynes Saturday morning and then ordered to leave town.

Sam Johnson, a negro, who has been in police court several times since the first of the year, again got into the limelight Friday night, when he is said to have disturbed a dance at the John Hurd home in the North End. Maria Whight, his former sweetheart, and others objected to his presence and Sam proceeded to start a rough house. Police ended the trouble by arresting him. He was later released with orders to appear Saturday morning. No one showed up to prosecute him Saturday and Johnson was dismissed.

Arthur Willis, who was held several days for defrauding James Fult of a $12 board bill, succeeded in settling for the amount Saturday and was released.

James Turner, a colored youth, who has been imprisoned on a disorderly charge since January 18, was also turned adrift Saturday.

ROYAL ARCANUM RATES

(Cut this out and compare with other fraternal orders.)

On $1,000.00 Life Insurance Policy. Amount paid per month according to age, and remains the same during life, as follows:

Age.	Mo.	Age	Mo.
21	$0.81	40	$1.61
22	.83	41	1.68
23	.86	42	1.76
24	.89	43	1.83
25	.92	44	1.91
26	.95	45	2.00
27	.99	46	2.08
28	1.02	47	2.16
29	1.06	48	2.28
30	1.10	49	2.40
31	1.13	50	2.52
32	1.17	51	2.65
33	1.21	52	2.78
34	1.25	53	2.91
35	1.30	54	3.03
36	1.36	55	3.14
37	1.42	..	...
38	1.48	..	...
39	1.54	..	...

This is a rate from date of admission until the member reaches his 65th birthday, when the rate is changed to that age, and is thereafter constant during the remainder of life.

Age.	Mo.	Age	Mo.
21	$0.63	40	$1.01
22	.64	41	1.08
23	.65	42	1.11
24	.66	43	1.16
25	.67	44	1.21
26	.68	45	1.26
27	.69	46	1.31
28	.70	47	1.37
29	.71	48	1.43
30	.72	49	1.49
31	.74	50	1.55
32	.76	51	1.61
33	.78	52	1.68
34	.80	53	1.75
35	.83	54	1.82
36	.86	55	1.89
37	.89	..	...
38	.93	65	5.36
39	.97	..	...

For information call

T. A. RUSSELL, Secy.

'Phone No. 720. No. 88 East Third Street.

THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS COMPANY

BEFORE EASTER ECONOMIES

SPRING EASTER APPAREL SHOULD RECEIVE YOUR ATTENTION NOW. A GLANCE AT OUR LINE WITH ITS ESTABLISHED GOOD VALUES, STYLES AND VARIETY WILL CONVINCE YOU AT ONCE YOU NEED LOOK NO FURTHER.

SILKS

26 inch Seen Silks in dots and figures; all shades, per yard 18c

26 inch Wash Silks, hair line stripes for Waists, per yard 25c

Yard wide extra quality Wash Silks in stripes for waists, $1.00 quality, per yard only 65c

Yard wide Messaline Silks, plains, stripes and figured, per yard $1

23 and 36 inch Foulards.

Part Wool Serges. White and White with Black hair line, per yard 25c

All Wool Storm Serges, plain White and striped, per yard 50c

All colors in French and Storm Serges, including Tans, per yard 50c

Exquisite line of Wash Waistings. Sheer White Materials, also Percales, Madras Cloths, Voiles, Foulards, Poplins, Basket Weaves etc.

45 inch Flouncings ..59c and up

EASTER SUITS

All exclusive models, handsomely tailored. We are fully convinced that you would pay 1/4 to 1/3 more for equal quality elsewhere.

EASTER COATS

Handsome long novelty coats at ..... $5.50 to $15

Easter Dresses in Wool Serges and Messalines.

Dress Skirts in all the Spring Models, special values in large size skirts.

Easter Waists in Messaline and Taffeta Silk, Voiles and Embroidered Wash Fabrics.

Splendid values in Bags.

Embroidered and Crocheted White Bags, Mesh Bags and Leather Bags.

New Jabots ..... 10c to 50c

EASTER GLOVES

Kid Gloves, every pair warranted and fitted, all colors $1.00 pair

Long Silk Gloves ..... $1 pair

Ribbon Flowers in vast variety. New fancy Hair Ribbons 35c to 50c values at, per yard 18c

WAGON DELIVERIES TO ALL PARTS OF THE CITY.

The BRAGDON DRY GOODS CO.

MASONIC TEMPLE "THE STORE ACCOMMODATING." FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE

SOMETHING NEW FOR EASTER

There is a tradition to the effect that luck attends the wearing of something new on Easter Sunday. Especially for this occasion have we provided a line of dainty and useful novelties. Beautiful and unique in design and of exquisite workmanship. Easter is the turning point of spring—a day of joy, and life and gladness. Nothing could be more appropriate as an Easter Gift than a pretty Sparkling Jewel—or a dainty bit of Jewelry. A few suggestions in our show windows.

J. F. CARR

Jeweler-Optician.
424 Chillicothe, Near Gallia

MASONIC NOTICE.

Aurora Lodge No. 48 F. & A. M. will meet Saturday evening, March 30th at 7 o'clock. Work in the entered apprentice degree.

Aurora Lodge No. 48 will meet n[illegible] Monday evening, April 1 at 7 o'clock in regular meeting.

WANTED

WANTED:—An energetic man to act as salesman and collector in Scioto county; country territory. Apply at Singer Sewing Machine Co., 322 Chillicothe St. 30-1

WANTED:—Paper, paint and fresco cleaning. Joe Smith, 112 Scioto St. Phone No. 29. 30-6

WANTED:—West Side farmers to raise 50 acres of Tomatoes; Kentucky farmers between Siloam and Tygart 100 acres. Address Squire Brickey, Fullerton. 29-1

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. Call at 732 7th. 3 doors west of Chillicothe St. 29-2

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. 371 East Sixth. 28tf

WANTED:—You to see my new line of Millinery at very low prices. At Cyrus', 2201 Robinson Ave., corner Monroe. 28-10

WANTED:—Four gentlemen boarders at 1122 Gay St. 26-5

WANTED:—Dress making at No. 110 East Third St. 25-6

WANTED—Paper hanging, wall paper cleaning and decorating. Al Reiniger. Home phone Y 1367. 11-tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare & Klingman. Home Phone 490. 20-tf

WAGES:—Notes, rents, board bills, and bad debts collected, large or small. No charge unless collection is made. Dean Law and Collection Co. Rooms 6, 7, and 8, 613 Chillicothe St. Home phone A-1187. Cut this out.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY—Able-bodied, unmarried men between ages 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 603 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, Ohio. july 1 1912

MISCELLANEOUS

MALE HELP WANTED

Dining and Sleeping Car Conductors $75-$125. Experience unnecessary. We teach you. Write Dining Car World, 125 W. Van Buren, Chicago, Ill. 30-2

LADIES—Big pay copying addresses at home particulars 6c stamps. Horicon Agency, Chicago. 30-1

WOMEN—Sell guaranteed hose; 70 per cent profit; make $10 daily; full or part time; beginners investigate. STRONG KNIT, Box 4029, West Philadelphia, Pa. 3-9sat

TALK WITH DEAN AND GET YOUR MONEY. 25-tf

LADIES:—25 calling cards every Wednesday afternoon for 25 cents. Lady clerk. Acme Press, 419 Gay St. 21-tf

NOTICE—If you want a package delivery man phone Y 401 Dick Bostwick. 2-tf

CHEAPEST PLACE
in Portsmouth
TO BUY LUMBER
E. M. FUNK,
No. 129 Twelfth Street.

IN ANY IMPORTANT UNDERTAKING

In life's work, the first step should be taken with a feeling of confidence and security. Backed by the knowledge of a healthy savings account, that step will be made more easy and secure.

Opportunities constantly occur for the one with financial backing.

We invite you to start an account in our bank, if you are not already a depositor.

Interest on Savings.

The Central National Bank
16 GALLIA STREET.

FOR SALE

Modern 5 room cottage with bath, on Hill, completely furnished with over $800 worth of high grade new furniture. Buyer can move in immediately. $2800 takes house, furniture and all. Part cash, balance long time loan. Cannot duplicate this proposition for less than $3400.

J. E. SHUMP
"The Real Estate Man"
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ANALYSIS of drugs, minerals, manufactured products made accurately at reasonable prices. Chemicals tested. Formulas supplied. Burton Chemical Laboratory, 553 West Fort St. Detroit, Mich. 30-1

MALE HELP WANTED

Earn $30 weekly taking orders for Cut Rate Groceries; outfit free. Standard Mercantile Co. Hippodrome Building, Cleveland, O. 30-2

AGENTS:—Newest household specialty. Expense record. High class. Hundred per-cent profit. Sample 35c. Get in quick. Xerxes Company, Springfield, O. 30-1

ANY LADY can earn $10.00 weekly copying, addressing, at your home evenings. Book 10 cents in silver. Tells how. Monarch Manufacturing Company, Washington, D. C. mar 30 apr 6, 13, 20

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good business room with 6 living rooms attached, 318 Waller St. Now occupied by barber shop, rents for $25 per month. Price $3300.

Also business room with five living rooms attached, now occupied by restaurant, 1160 10th St. Price $2300. See F. H. Fritts. Phone A 645. 27-1

FOR SALE—Fine extension bed, large Edison Talking Machine; both in good condition. Call Mrs. F. C. Goodwin. 1308 4th. 28-tf

FOR SALE:—Unredeemed Singer Sewing Machines. One-half price. Also one iron Bed. Jos. Reisner, 703 Chillicothe Street. 25-tf

FOR SALE—Cheap 8 room house 15 acres of land in Powellsville. J. L. Praither, Sciotoville, O. Phone 2405. 18-tf

FOR SALE:—25 horse power gas or gasoline engine. Inquire Times office. 22-3

FOR SALE:—Sow and pigs. Tom Roberts, 382 Jackson. 23-6

FOR SALE:—Bay mare. Home phone B 1005. 24-tf

Houses For Sale At Reasonable Prices And On Easy Terms

Two story, five room house in excellent condition, situate on Hilltop on Grant Street.

New four room cottage with bath, situate on Oakland Avenue.

Four room cottage, situate on Twelfth Street.

Two story, 5 room dwelling, situate on Spring Ave.

Two story, seven room dwelling, situate on East Third Street.

Three room cottage, situate on Murray Street.

GEO. E. KRICKER
Agent
12 East Sixth Street.
Phone 54.

FOR SALE

Modern 6-room home on Highland St., bath complete, slate roof ... $3300
Modern 7-room on Hutchins St., bath complete ... $3500
New modern 5-room cottage near Grant on Summitt, a bargain .. $2750
New modern 5-room house near Timmonds Ave., bath complete and papered ... $2950
New modern 5-room cottage with bath, Grandview avenue ... $2600
New modern 5-room cottage with bath, 17th St. ... $2500
Modern 7-room cottage, Grandview Ave., $300 cash ... $2500
Modern 6-room house, bath and furnace, E. 9th St., $500 cash ... $4000
Modern 8-room brick veneer home, Gallia St. ... $6500
Fine modern cottage, Lincoln St., bath, furnace, basement, large lot ... $3700
Modern, new, 7-room home, on Grant St., front and rear porch, sliding doors, bath complete, $300 cash, balance as rent, fine location and a bargain ... $2750
Modern 7-room home, Center St. $3500
Modern 6-room home, Center St. $2800
Fine 4-room cottage, Oakland Ave. ... $2100
Good 6-room home, 5th St., near Chillicothe ... $3000
Good 5-room house, Union St., cistern, large barn, $300 cash .. $1800
Fine, modern, 10-room house, 12th near Lincoln ... $3900
5-room house, E. 7th, $200 cash $1300
New 4-room cottage, E. 7th, $300 cash ... $1500
Good 5-room cottage, Broadway .. $1400
Good 3 room cottage, Kinney St. .. $1100
Good 5-room house, 15th near Waller, $300 cash ... $1850

Lots and houses in all parts of the city—cash or easy terms.

Bargains in farms near Portsmouth. Possession at once. Loans arranged.

CHAS. V. WERTZ
14 E. 4th St. (old.) Phone X-756.

FOR SALE:—One-fourth interest in Hitchcock East End Store, corner Robinson Avenue and Lawson St. Good investment. Investigate. Position goes with it. Apply 1226 9th St. Home phone B 599. 22-tf

FOR SALE:—Good 6 room cottage, gas, wat r, cistern and cellar, rents for $15.00 per month. Old number 91 14th St. Price $2000.

Double house, vacant lot with 27 ft. front, East 3rd St. Houses rent for $28.00 per month. New number 943-945. See F. H. Fritts for particulars. Phone A 645. 21-tf

FOR SALE:—Edison Graphaphone and a new Upright Baldwin Piano. 1227 Ninth St. 20-tf

FOR SALE:—Stereotype mats better than paper to put under carpets. Inquire at Times office.

FOR SALE:—The Farney property in Sciotoville, 20 acres; very desirable for manufacturing or residence purpose. High and above the '84 flood mark. Bordering on the Scioto river and near N. & W. and B. & O. R. R. Phone 2405. J. L. Praither, Sciotoville, O. 26-tf

FOR SALE:—Farm of 225 acres 2 miles from New Boston on Harrisonville pike.

Farm of 100 acres near New Boston; two houses, good water and garden land. J. L. Praither, Sciotoville, O. Phone 2405. 26-tf

FOR SALE

Three corner lots 36x120 deep, Lakeside, $7½ per foot.

6 room two-story house, New Eighth street; arranged for two families. $2,500.

6 rooms and bath centrally located, $2,600.

5 room, slate roof, cottage at Terminals, lot 60x115. A bargain.

J. H. PICK
Phone 487
Let us know your wants.

Wanted $25,000.0[illegible]

The Citizens' Savings [illegible] Loan Association Company having had application filed for $25,000.00 of NE[illegible] MORTGAGE LOAN[illegible] since March 1st will issue Paid Up Stock Certificat[illegible] or Certificates of Depo[illegible] to that amount.

This stock has earned a cash 6 per cent annual dividend for 21 years.

Certificates of Deposit will pay 4 PER CENT PER ANNUM if left for 60 days or longer.

First Mortgage, City [illegible] Portsmouth Real Esta[illegible] guarantees this stock. A[illegible]sets $440,437.00, which re[illegible]resents our Mortgage loan on January 1st, 1912.

ARTHUR L. HAMM, Sec
With Hutchins & Hamm.
No. 410 Chillicothe Stree[illegible]

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Suits to order from $25 up. Fit and workmanship guaranteed. Over three hundred styles to select from.

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21 GALLIA ST.

CHEAP HOMES

6-room house, Linden avenue, bath complete, gas and good outbuildings, a bargain ... $2350
5-room cottage, Fifteenth street, near Findlay street ... $1500
5-room house, Fourteenth street ... $1600
6-room house, Twelfth street, above Offnere, an extraordinarily well-built house; lot 36x131 ... $3000
4-room, two-story house, Fifth street ... $1000
6-room, two-story house, East Fourth street, gas and water ... $2000
5-room cottage, Eleventh St. ... $1250
4-room cottage, Campbell avenue ... $1300

WE POINT OUT THE WAY.

JORDAN-HUMBLE REALTY CO.
410 Masonic Temple. Phone X-1493.

FOR SALE:—Pool table and punching bag with platform; cheap. Inquire 435 Front, below Market. 30-2

FOR SALE:—Fine cottage, bath complete, closets, cellar, cistern and pantry, 40 foot lot; street assessment paid, 12th St. between Offnere and Lincoln. Inquire 315 East 12th. 30-3

FOR SALE:—Single comb Brown Leghorn Eggs for setting. $1 per 15. A. E. Lewis, 1807 Summit. 30-4

FOR SALE:—Best family driving horse in Portsmouth. Owner has bought automobile. Address X X 2 Box 161 Portsmouth, O 29-tf

FOR SALE:—Singer Sewing machines from $2 up. 318 Gay St. 29-6

FOR SALE:—Cyclone incubator and brooder and small chicken coop. 1335 Park. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Rhode Island Red Eggs for setting 1134 12th. (new number) 29-3

FOR SALE:—Cheap, if sold at once. One 5x7 Premo Camera; long focus, 26 inch bellows, double swing back rack and pinion. One ray filter, Tripod, 6 plate holders, printing frame and carrying case. Call at 58 Gallia, Home phone A 1280. 29-2

FOR SALE:—1300 lb. 7 year old dapple gray horse. H. Brushart, Lucasville. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Home made wines for medical use. See L. Zoefle, Jeweler, 141 West Second St. 28-3

FOR SALE:—Motor boat; top, tools, magneto. Karl Zoellner. 28-3

FOR SALE:—Three general purpose horses; city broke. Can be seen at Star Livery Stable until Saturday. 28-3

FOR SALE:—Two double new Birdsell Wagons, $75 each. One single new Birdsell wagon $42.50. Bed for double wagon $10. Two boys' Birdsell wagons $5.50 each. Chas. F. Schirrman, Gallia St., opposite N. & W. freight depot. 28-3

WANTED---LOTS

We will pay cash for vacant lots in good locations.

The Frank B. Finney Co.
New No. 819 Gallia Street.
Phone 70. Upper Market Square

FOR SALE

5 room modern cottage on Oakland avenue.

2 seven room houses on Third Street.

6 room modern house on East Ninth Street.

Choice farms located in Scioto county, Ohio.

Parties having property for sale or exchange will do well to list one with

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THAT REALLY INSURES
GEO. W. GRIMES
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QUICK LOANS

SUPPOSE you needed fifty dollars and had to have it quick. How would you get it? Have you stocks, bonds, or real estate to offer as security? And if you have, what bank will accept your securities? Or do you borrow from friends? Borrowing on chattels, such as household goods, pianos, etc., is the quickest, as well as the popular way to get a needed loan in a limited time, quietly and confidentially, and the security remains in your possession.

We are, by far, the biggest and best institution engaged in making chattel loans. Our low rates and liberal plan inaugurated by this company have raised the borrowing standard of this community and put it on a plane never before attempted by any other concern. Do not confound us with the old style money lenders who advertise one rate and charge another.

OHIO LOAN Co
Masonic Temple Bld'g

FOR SALE:—Or trade for city property the Dr. Berry homestead at Quincy, Ky. 8 room house with 4 acres land and good orchards.

Also 5 room cottage with bath Summitt street for $2400. See F. H. Fritts, Phone A 645. 30-tf

FOR SALE:—5 room cottage with bath complete; Cellar, lot 32x125. Vacant. Possession at once. Summitt and 17th Sts. $2500. Call Merle O. Duduit. Phone A 1183. 30-1

FOR SALE:—Milk wagon. 350 Jackson. 30-4

FOR SALE:—Launch at 321 E. Sixth. 30-3

FOR SALE:—Boy's bicycle 533 East Fifth St. 30-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Furnished room 112 East Third. 25-6

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping 529 Third. 27-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room 702 John St. 25-7

FOR RENT—Store room No. 1832 Eleventh St. Good location. See Andy Wolf. 20-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room 107 West Sixth. 8-tf

FOR RENT:—Two single rooms for gentlemen. Modern conveniences. Mrs. James Patterson, 833 Second St. 18-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room, with bath. 538 Seventh St. 23-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished front rooms for light housekeeping. Old Number 105 West Front, New Number 539. 26-tf

FOR RENT:—My home down-stairs only, furnished, will be empty Monday. Phone A 1321 or Y 1079. 29-2

FOR RENT:—New six room house and small farm within 1 mile of Sciotoville at a monthly cash rental. Inquire of Dr. Halderman, Ninth and Gay. 28-3

FOR SALE

Stock of second hand furniture and stoves.

8 room modern house, corner Twelfth and Findlay. Street paved and paid. Price $6000.

One lot 38x1 5, corner Seventeenth and Offnere. Price $1150.

3 room house on Fifth, between Union and Glover. Price $2600.

4 room house on Kinney street, with 3 room house on alley, renting for $18 a month. Price $1400.

5 room house on East Eighth $1750.

12 acre farm on West Side with 4 room house and outbuildings.

Also 10 acre farms in Florida for $10 down and $10 per month.

CRABTREE & HAMM
Home Phone X 1443
Opposite East End Engine House

MONEY TO LOAN
On City Property
The Portsmouth German Building And Loan Association Co.
EDGAR F. DRAPER, Sec'y.
MASONIC TEMPLE

POLITICIANS WERE OUT

All the candidates and near candidates in Scioto county were at Wheelersburg, Saturday, to attend the stock sale which was conducted by William Weidner, of Dogwood Ridge.

Quite a number of heads of horses were bought and sold and hundreds were out to enjoy the sale.

Parents Located

The body of Charley E. Sterne, who was run down and killed by a C. & O. train Friday near Garrison, Ky., will be shipped Sunday to the dead man's home in Muskogee, Oklahoma. Through his union card his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sterne, were located. The Greenup branch of the O. R. T. will look after the shipment of the body.

Al's Dog Shot.

A valuable setter dog belonging to Al Rudity, well known shoe factory foreman, was badly wounded by a stray bullet Saturday. The dog is now at Dr. James Gill's hospital for treatment.

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room with bath, 817 Third St. (new number.) 30-2

FOR SALE:—Fine home made apple butter. Phone Y 1243. 30-2

FOR RENT:—Rooms for 2 ladies, light housekeeping, 323 Gay. 30-2

FOR RENT:—Stable for storage or suitable for horse and buggy No. 833 Second St. between Chillicothe and Gay. Jas. Patterson, Phone Home 154 or 554. 30-6

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms to reliable persons, 1927 Grant St. 30-3

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences, 518 Union St. 30-tf

FOR RENT:—Two front rooms furnished 1822 Eleventh St. 30-5

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room down stairs. Phone A 1077 27-tf

FOR RENT:—Good stable at 529 Third St. 9-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room; bath and phone 23 West Third. 29-3

FOR RENT:—Three furnished rooms for rooming or light housekeeping, with all conveniences 113 Jefferson. 29-2

FOR RENT:—Eighty acre farm, ten miles from Portsmouth. For cash or grain rent. Call 71 E. Fourth St. 23-3

LOST

LOST:—Cameo belt pin. Return to 302 Second St. Reward. 28-3

LOST:—Gold Elgin Watch and Fob at Sun, Columbia or Arcana; yellow set in fob. Stem broken. Reward if returned to 55 W. Grace, New Boston. 28-3

LOST—Monday a set brooch pin. Call phone A 902. The Letter Shop, Ohio Valley Bank Bldg. 27-4

LOST:—Small bill book containing four $5 bills and some smaller ones. Reward for return, Hugh B. Williams, 1117 Third St. Phone Y 1276. 30-1

INTEREST

at the rate of four per cent from April 1st will be credited on all money deposited on or before April 10th.

THE ROYAL
SAVINGS AND LOAN CO.
New No. 819 Gallia Street.
Upper Market Square.

Eugene E. Knox,
Masonic Temple,
Insures anything
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REPORT WAS UNTRUE

Mrs. Jacob Riley, of Front street, who some weeks ago abandoned her husband and children, is back in the city. It develops that she has there was nothing in reports that she had eloped with another man. As her husband has also returned to Portsmouth, a reconciliation is expected.

WILL SELL EQUIPMENT

The firm of Little & Wilson, one of the successful coal firms in this city for many years, is going out of business and is offering the entire equipment of the yard at Tenth and Lincoln streets, together with teams and wagons, for sale, as will be seen in an advertisement in today's Times.

The firm is one of the most widely known in the city and has always enjoyed a big patronage.

Buys Ten Fancy Jerseys

C. C. Fullerton, former county attorney at Greenup, received a shipment of ten head of fine Jersey cows from New York state via the C. & O., Saturday. Mr. Fullerton bought the cows for dairy purposes, and immediately on their arrival took them to his farm near Siloam. A fancy price was paid for the cows, the herd representing an investment of close to $1800.

Wants Copy Of Decision In Pyles Case

Attorney Grimes of Jackson, while in town Saturday, made a futile effort to secure a copy of the circuit court decision in the Pyles mandamus case. The attorney stated he had a similar case that is to be heard by the civil service commission of his city tonight. The court stenographer had mailed the type-written opinion in the case to Judge Jones for his O. K. and Attorney Grimes stated he would try to secure it from the Judge.

Has The Grip.

James Crain is confined to his room at the Biggs House with the grip.

Fertilizer for all purposes at Sommer Bros.' hardware store.

SAVERS

Why not put your money where it is safe, and where it will grow? As will be seen by the statement of The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Company, page 8 today, it has a record of 21 honorable years behind it, during which it never paid less than a 6 per cent dividend. It is in better condition today than ever before. What better guarantee could you wish? Study the statement and then put your money where it will be safe.

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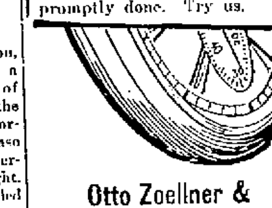

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SOCIETY

Floyd C. Fuller, who is in the employ of The E. G. Nave Bros. Company, arrived in the city Saturday to spend Sunday with his family. For the past four months he has been located in Cynthiana, Ky., where his firm is building a new railroad.

Miss Edna Dawson, who is attending school at Hollins Institute, Hollins, Va., is going to Lynchburg, Va., to spend Easter, as the guest of a school friend, Miss Ruth Hancock.

Mrs. Ben Eldridge, of 1101 Ninth street, left today for Jackson, Ohio, where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, F. T. Baldridge.

Mrs. May Dixon, of East Sixth street, left Saturday morning for Marion, Ohio, on an extended visit to relatives.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mrs. R. M. Chapman and son, Karrell and daughter, Marian, of 1310 Twelfth street, are guests of Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hunt, at Harrisonville. Mr. Chapman will go to Harrisonville to spend Sunday with his family.

George Brawley, well known contractor, and family, who have been wintering in the South, are expected to arrive home from Florida, Monday or Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Cooper of West Second street, will spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Snyder of Carter City, Ky. Mrs. Cooper expects to leave the city Monday.

The Catlettsburg Tribune says:

"A very delightful meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church was held with Mrs. Scott Winters at her home in Kenova, yesterday afternoon. After the business session the ladies indulged in a social hour, a feature which is not observed by this society, but owing to the fact that Mrs. Winters will soon move to Portsmouth, the social hour was given by Mrs. Winters as her farewell entertainment to the ladies, and assisted by her mother, Mrs. Robert Owens, she served a delicious salad course with pickles, olives, hot rolls, coffee and wafers."

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mrs. J. F. Carr and Mrs. W. G. Cheney have returned from a visit in Cincinnati.

The Country Club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. R. B. Cunningham, of John street.

The next meeting of the Free Baptist Missionary Society will be held on April 11th, at the residence of Mrs. F. C. Chase.

Mrs. F. C. Chase's class, the "A. S. Girls," of the Free Baptist church will give a measuring social on Monday evening in the Flood & Blake hall.

Mrs. J. G. Shaw and daughter, Mabel, of East Ninth street, has returned from a visit of several days in Cincinnati.

Mrs. F. M. B. Corson and daughter, Virginia, returned last night from Cincinnati, where they have been visiting for several days.

Miss Lucy Graham and Miss Mary Parsell went to Cincinnati today to attend the exposition.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mrs. John Lowry arrived home today from Cincinnati, where she spent the week with friends in Cincinnati.

Mrs. James Brewer and son James and Miss Sallie Miller have returned from a few days' visit in Cincinnati.

Misses Ruth and Alice Pray and Esel Selby arrived home last night from Cincinnati, where they attended "The World."

Mr. and Mrs. John Peebles arrived home last night from Cincinnati, where they attended "The World."

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peebles arrived today from Cleveland to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Peebles, of East Second street.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet on next Monday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Rowe, on East Seventh street.

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PRETZEL MEAL RECIPE

for Today

Waffles

Two eggs well beaten, one tablespoonful melted butter, one cupful flour, one cupful **Star Brand Pretzel Meal**, one-half teaspoonful salt, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, enough sweet milk to make rather a thin batter. Cook quickly in hot buttered or greased waffle irons and serve hot with maple syrup.

Pretzel Meal is sold by all grocers.

Mrs. Otis Bell, of Sciotoville, entertained a number of little folks Thursday afternoon for the pleasure of her little daughter Melba, who celebrated her fourth birthday anniversary Thursday. Between the hours of four and six, the merry little folks enjoyed games and contests and also the refreshments of cream, cake and candy served by Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Adolph Race. The children present were Gladys Whitt, Louise and Irene Race, Genevieve Bender, Jaunita Lipker, Anna Margaret Moore, Beryl Thompson, Margaret Hill, Elizabeth Williams, Alma Duvendeck, Garnet Bell, Robert Ketter, Wilbur Bell, Ernest Williams, Raymond Clark and Charles Bell. The little guest of honor received many pretty gifts from her friends.

Miss Edna Arthur entertained delightfully Friday evening at her home, 502 Vinton avenue in honor of her fifteenth birthday anniversary. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music which was furnished by Miss Virginia Fairtrace. The hostess served a dainty repast to the following guests: Misses Edna Webb, Martha McCloud, Mary McClure, Ruth Foley, Virginia Fairtrace, Ethel Oliver, Messrs. Belford Adkinson, Ralph Brady, Raymond Davis, Leon Wilson, Harold Eynon and Roy Leightner.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

The meeting of the Progress club, which was scheduled to be held on Monday evening, has been indefinitely postponed. The date for the next meeting will be announced within a few days.

Moffatt Edwards, of Oak Hill, young brother of the Edwards Sisters, who have been here assisting in the Union Revival meetings at Bigelow and the First Presbyterian church, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Hughes.

Miss Mayme Flannigan will return to Prestonburg, Ky., Sunday afternoon at the end of a ten days' visit at her home in this city.

Mrs. Mabel Wyatt, who has been the guest of Miss Cora Swabby, of Grandview avenue, returned to her home at Sardinia, Friday.

Mrs. R. Leist, of Beaver, Pike county, arrived in the city Saturday to spend ten days with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nott.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Reinhardt moved Friday from 136 East Eighth street to 71 East Seventh street.

Master Freshel Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright, spent his week's school vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Freshel, at the Palace restaurant.

The dance given under the auspices of the W. O. W. lodge at Eagle's hall, Friday night, was a big success, both from a social and financial standpoint. The hall was thronged throughout the evening with lovers of the light fantasia, and the affair proved one of the most pleasant social gatherings ever given by this lodge. Excellent music was furnished and the entire program of twenty dances was given before the merry whirl ended. The proceeds of the dance will go towards buying uniforms and equipment for the W. O. W. ball team. The committee in charge consisted of Theodore Branham, Chester Riggles and Earl Reinhart.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peach of South Webster, who have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. F. M. Rankin of Washington St., returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Allison of West Second street, have returned from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Carlisle and Lexington, Ky.

The Busy Bee Kensington club met at the home of Miss Alice Ford, 537 Twentieth street, Friday afternoon. The session was a most enjoyable one. Refreshments were served at the close of the business meeting. The following club members were present: Misses Hazel Jones, Jennie Lynn, Ruth Oldfield, Mary Harper, Hazel Eckhart, Hazel Puckett, Rubie Ayers, Kate McMillian, Alice Ford, Helen Ford.

Miss Swetland Glover, of 526 Gallia street, returned home this morning after a few days' visit with Mrs. D. V. Starling, of Ironton.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

The Morning Irontonian said:

"Miss Caryl Duvendeck has terminated a brief, but pleasant visit with her aunt, Mrs. Stuart, of Coal Grove and returned to her home in Sciotoville last afternoon."

"Miss Virginia Hufman has completed an enjoyable visit with her sister, Mrs. Chandler, of Portsmouth, and returned home yesterday."

"Mrs. B. F. Boyer, of Portsmouth, arrived yesterday noon for a short business visit and will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Emily Adkins of West Ironton, while in the city."

"Miss Vergie Scranton left last afternoon for Portsmouth, where she will visit for several days with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Barton."

"Mrs. D. V. Sparling has returned home from Portsmouth after spending a few days the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Glover. She was accompanied home by her granddaughter, Miss Swetland Glover, who will spend a week with friends and relatives here."

"Mr. George Bagby, who has been at Naples for a year, singing in Grand opera, will be home this summer to spend a few months with his sister, Mrs. B. F. Searcy, of this city, and also home folks at Grayson, Ky."

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

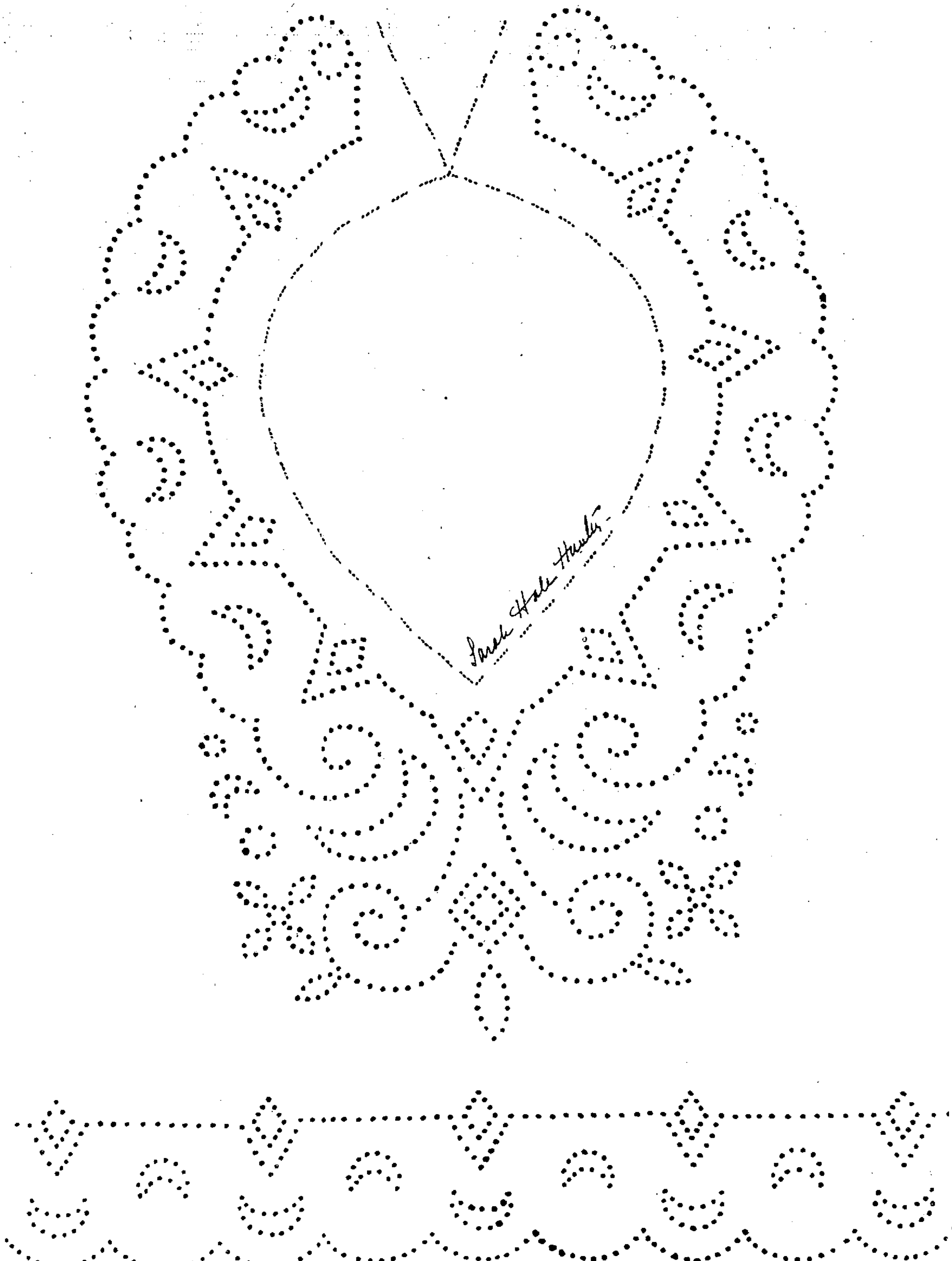
J. W. Nance, of Ironton, was a business visitor in the city today.

Miss Elsa Distelrath has returned from a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Frank J. Kelley and Miss Lizor Distelrath, at Parkersburg, W. Va.

Paul M. Streich and wife returned from Cincinnati today. They were visitors at the "World in Cincinnati" exposition.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

FOR KIMONA WAIST



This pattern for a kimona waist may be worked in French knots or in beads. Use mercerized cotton No. 20 for French knots. The pattern has no collar as it is cut out a little in the neck and finished with a bias fold. The design is given for the edge of the sleeves and this may also be used to trim the skirt.

DIRECTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING.

In taking off these patterns, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and with a hard, sharp pencil draw firmly over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through.

No patterns of these designs are available.

The Woman's Relief Corps and the auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans met in business and social session yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. John Punteney, on Grandview avenue. The two orders made arrangements to banquet the Grand Army members and the Sons of Veterans on the last Friday in April in one of the local halls. Also the societies will meet together in social session once every month.

There were twenty ladies present at yesterday's meeting and several guests, including Mrs. E. W. Pfeiffer, Mrs. Ralph Pfeiffer and baby and Mrs. M. E. Moore.

The committee for the banquet are Mesdames Beck, Rowe, Whitney, Reeg and Punteney, of the W. R. C., and Mesdames Reinhart, Robe and Eichorn of the auxiliary.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Rowe, on East Seventh street.

Mrs. Walter L. Hyatt and baby daughter, Helen Juanita, of North Waller street, are visiting Mrs. Hyatt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Doll, of the West Side.

An instruction class of young men was held at the home of M. H. F. Kinsey, Friday evening. The young men will be taken into the First Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.

Mrs. Edward Semans and daughters, Ann and Abigal, will return to their home in Delaware tomorrow after a delightful visit with Mrs. Semans' mother, Mrs. Anne Reed, of West Second street.

Miss Marjorie Pursell will arrive home on Wednesday from the Ohio Wesleyan University to spend the Easter vacation.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

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Sunday Services

SERMONS AND SERVICES AT THE VARIOUS CHURCHES

BIGELOW M. E. CHURCH
Alfred F. Hughes, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:00 a. m.; Dr. E. C. Jackson, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:30. The sacraments of the Lord's Supper and baptism will be observed and new members will be received. This will be a helpful service and all members especially are urged to be present. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the pastor desires to meet in the church all parents who have children whom they desire to have unite with the church. These children will meet with the pastor at 4 o'clock each day next week and be received on Easter morning. Epworth League and class meeting at 6:00 p. m. Union service at 7:00 p. m. with First Presbyterian church. Rev. Hughes preaching. Sermon theme, "Following Afar." There will be splendid chorus singing at this service and Miss Staiger will sing a solo. Come early to be sure of a good seat.

MANLY CHURCH
J. W. Atkinson.

Sunday school at 9:00 a. m.; Philip Pfarr, superintendent. Sermon by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. Intermediate league, the pastor leader, at 2:00 p. m. Junior League, Mark Allison, superintendent, at 2:00 p. m. Weekly devotional meeting of the Epworth League, Belle Burton, president. The meeting will be in the interest of missions; J. W. Atkinson, leader, at 6:00 p. m. Sermon and evangelism at 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m. The Epworth League will have a debate; subject, "Resolved, That the world is growing worse," Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH.
Corner of Fourth and Court.
E. A. Powell, Rector.

Palm Sunday. The Sunday next before Easter. No early celebration of the Holy Communion. Sunday school at 9:00 a. m. Choral Eucharist. Procession of Palms and reading of Exhortation at 10:30 a. m. Evensong and address at 7:00 p. m. Sunday is the first day in the "Inter-Brotherhood Week of Prayer" and at the evening service all men in attendance will be provided with the prayer leaflet issued by the Brotherhoods in America. The prayer subject for the week is "God's Service is Man's Glory." The Rector will preach a special sermon on "Prayer As Applied to the Lives of Men" at evensong and a good attendance of men and boys is requested. There will be services every day during Holy Week as announced. The evening services will be at 7:30, and each evening the prayer leaflet will be used as the basis of special petitions. Holy Week offers you a splendid opportunity of showing your faithfulness and devotion to Jesus Christ. It is not sufficient to make profession of your loyalty to Christ. Prove it this week by being constantly in attendance at the services of the church and by striving to bring others within reach of the gospel. All christian people ought to observe Holy Week. All will be made welcome at the parish church. Come! And bring your friends with you. Crosses of palm will be distributed to worshippers at the morning service.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION.
No. 1116 Clay Street.

Preparatory services will again be held at the hall on Sunday afternoon at 1:30. A full attendance is requested, as it is important that all should have the proper understanding of this lesson. Sunday evening at 7 o'clock the class will meet for the celebration of the most impressive service of the year, the memorial supper. On Thursday at 7:00 p. m. the lesson on "The New Creation" will be taken up. All bible students welcomed at these meetings.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL
G. H. Freund, Pastor.

Palm Sunday. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. German preaching at 10:30 a. m. All who were confirmed in German should be present at this service. Junior service at 2:00 p. m. Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m. English service and confirmation at 7 o'clock. Eleven will receive confirmation at this service. The Palm Sunday music will be:
"To Spring" (transcription)..
..... Grieg
Miss Marguerite Schirrmann
Male Quartette, "When I Survey" ..... Dr. Mason
Messrs. Lorey, Wilhelm, Tritscheller and Frost
Offertory, "Answer" .....
..... Wolstenholme
Anthem, "Freuet Euch in Dem Herrn" ..... Haas
Postlude ..... Kink
—Evening—
"Processional March"..E. Smith
"Holy, Holy, Holy"..... Gilfe
"The Palms" ..... Faure
Mr. Clyde Knost
Offertory, Melody in D flat ..
..... St. Clair
Anthem, "Hosanna" .... Wilson
Postlude, "Hosanna" .... Wachs

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Court & Third Streets
John Wirt Dunning, Pastor

All regular services will be held tomorrow. Bible School meets at nine o'clock. Men's Class topic: "Paul, the Preacher." Four hundred wanted tomorrow. Morning worship at 10:30. The pastor will preach a sermon appropriate to Palm Sunday. "Behold Thy King Cometh". Special music by the choir. Christian Endeavor Society meets at six o'clock. Evening worship, a union service at Bigelow Methodist church. Rev. Hughes preaching. The music for tomorrow morning will be:
Anthem, Quartette.
Solo, "A Prayer for Faith"—Bartlett—Miss Berry.

The Ministerial Association will meet Monday at 1:00 p. m. A paper on "What Easter Means to the Church" will be read by Rev. J. W. Dunning.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN
W. H. Christian, Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. Morning service at 10 o'clock. Anthem, "Hosanna to the Son of David" by the choir. Solo, "Who is He," Mrs. Matthews. Afternoon at 2 o'clock, men's meeting. Good music. Come and hear what the pastor has to say. Subject, "The Lodge or the Church—Which?" Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Anthem, "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled" by the choir. Solo, "Jerusalem," Mr. J. A. Burkel. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:15. The general public are asked to remember the Easter cantata to be rendered on Easter Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in the above church. The music is of a high order, and as the choir is of such repute, a treat is in store.

First Church of Christ Scientist
No. 20 East Second St.

Sunday services at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "Reality." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m. Free reading room open to public daily except Sunday, from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. All are welcome at these services.

UNITED BRETHREN
W. H. Howard, Pastor.
First Christian Church.
Third and Gay.

Our Sabbath school under the supervision of George J. Schmidt begins promptly at 9:00 a. m. You should be there to enjoy it. Preaching in the morning and evening by the pastor. Morning subject at 10:30, "Helping Each Other." In the evening at 7:00, "The Nicest and Best Name in the World." Junior Endeavor at 1:30 p. m. Senior Y. P. C. E. at 7:00 p. m. General prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:00 p. m. Let us make this a good day at the United Brethren church.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.
Freeman W. Chase, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor at 10:15 a. m. on "The Newness of the Old Story." Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. A sermon to young men by the pastor at 7:00 p. m. On Monday night, April 1, a measuring party will be given at Flood & Blake's hall by the "A. F." girls. On next Thursday night the Young People's Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Myrile Bridges, of Gallia street.

Kendall Avenue Baptist Church.
F. A. Maier, Pastor.

A special invitation is extended to all families representing the church and Sunday school to attend the services tomorrow. Sunday school begins at 9:00 a. m.; Pearl Wells, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:15. Come and worship with us. The evening service at 7; subject, "Home Blessings." This service will be of special interest to the home. Parents are especially invited. Special music at this service. Wednesday evening the church prayer meeting. Friday evening the class in catechism.

First Baptist Church.
Gallia and Waller
T. H. McAfee, Pastor.

Bible school at 9:00 a. m.; W. H. Overstreet, superintendent. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:15 p. m. The pastor will preach at both services. The morning subject will be "Hailing the Coming Christ." The evening sermon will be "How Near Are You to the Kingdom." There will be baptism at the evening services. All are welcome to these services.

GRANDVIEW AVENUE CHRISTIAN.

Bible school session opens promptly at 9:00 a. m.; John Bridwell, superintendent. A large attendance desired. Communion service at 10:30, following which the pastor will preach, his subject being "Repentance." Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:45 and preaching at 7:45. Evening discourse will be "Confessing Christ." There will be preaching each evening during the week. All friends and members of the church are expected to give their hearty support in the week's rally leading up to a great service on Easter.

NEW BOSTON CHRISTIAN

Every member of the bible school is urged to be present on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. J. C. Harris, superintendent. Followed by communion. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 p. m. and Senior Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Preaching in the evening by Oliver Puckett of the Grandview Avenue Christian church.

Was A Mistake.

John Hesslam says the report that a fight occurred in his saloon last Thursday was a mistake. The fight took place at the corner of Fourth and Chillicothe streets and he knew nothing of the affair until it was over.

HOW ONE WOMAN WON

Her Health and Strength Back Again by The Use of Cardui.

Tampa, Fla.—In a letter from this city, Mrs. E. C. Corum writes: "I was all weakened and worn out with womanly troubles. My husband brought me some Cardui as a tonic, and, from the first day, it seemed to help.

I had almost lost my reason, but, thanks to Cardui, I did not. Soon, I felt and looked like a new woman. I think the remedy is wonderful. I recommend it to my friends, for I have received great benefit from it."

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HOW TO PRESERVE YOUTH AND BEAUTY.

One great secret of youth and beauty for the young woman or the mother is the proper understanding of her womanly system and well-being. Every woman, young or old, should *know herself* and her physical make up. A good way to arrive at this knowledge is to get a good doctor book, such for instance, as "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," by R. V. Pierce, M. D., which can readily be procured by sending thirty-one cents for cloth-bound copy, addressing Dr. Pierce, at Buffalo, N. Y.

The womanly system is a delicate machine which can only be compared to the intricate mechanism of a beautiful watch which will keep in good running order only with good care and the proper oiling at the right time, so that the delicate mechanism may not be *worn out*. Very many times young women get old or *run down* before their time through ignorance and the improper handling of this human mechanism. Mental depression, a confused head, backache, headache, or hot flashes and many symptoms of derangement of the womanly system can be avoided by a proper understanding of what to do, in those trying times that come to all women.

Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. C. H. Williams, of Lynchburg, Va., wrote: "It is six years since my health gave way. I had female trouble and all the doctors (Certificate Error) said I would die. I was not able to do my work, had to hire someone all the time. Finally, I read in the papers about Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and decided to try it. I had not taken half one bottle until I found it had done me good. I took in all, eleven bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and two of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and now I am able to do all my housework, and have gained fourteen pounds. I believe all women who suffer from female trouble should try your Favorite Prescription. It is the only medicine on earth."

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CAMPAIGN AT PIKETON SUNDAY

It would be a hard matter to beat the South Portsmouth Campaign of the "Men and Religion Forward Movement," which was held on last Sunday, but it does look right now like Piketon is going to break the record on the coming Sunday, judging from the expressions of the pastors and prominent laymen of that little city. All arrangements for the "All Day" campaign have been completed and the people are anxiously awaiting the arrival of Team No. 1 from Portsmouth to put on the work.

The program Sunday will be the same as other places: Prof. Gilliland and Judge Ball speaking in the morning, Messrs. Rupert and Kinsey in the afternoon, and J. J. Vangorder and Prof. Finney in the evening.

The sessions will be held in the Methodist church, of which Rev. M. S. Cunningham is pastor.

The full value of the "Men and Religion Forward Movement in this section will probably never be known to men. Spiritual service, like the service of sunshine, cannot be rated by figures; you cannot state inspiration and instruction in terms of statistics. However some things are perfectly clear, and ought to be credited to our local Movement.

First—The "Men and Religion Forward Movement" has helped to increase the sense of personal responsibility for the church, for its services, its financial support, its program and its power in the community.

Second—The Movement has deepened in the church itself the sense of responsibility for industrial conditions and Social Welfare. The old Cain question, "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" has given way to the Christ question, "Am I My Brother's Brother?"

Third—One thing beyond a doubt that Finney has done in his addresses: He has helped to convince men that the Bible is worthy of their best thought and their best time. He did made very clear that not to want to know the Bible is nothing against the Bible, but is a severe indictment of the man, an acknowledgment of a vital defect in his make-up.

Fourth—The Movement has stimulated a keenly interest in work for boys. The churches that have been visited by team Number 1, have been made to feel that their best asset is the boy, and that anything which conserves his welfare adds to the value of both the church and the community.

Fifth—The people of our churches are becoming more interested in the great subject of "Missions," because of the sane and strong presentation of this important phase of Christian work.

On next Sunday, which is Easter, Team Number 1 will take a rest, and the team workers will be given an opportunity to attend services in their own churches. On the following Sunday they will journey to South Webster, and on the third Sunday will be at Fullerton, on the Kentucky side.

UNIFORM RANK HELD MEETING

The Uniform Rank of the Knights of the Maccabees held their regular meeting at the home of L. E. Smith, 1305 Union street Friday evening. Arrangements were completed to give a series of socials and entertainments during the summer for the benefit of the Uniform Rank. As the boys are all hustlers Portsmouth no doubt will be represented at the next state encampment to be held at Columbus this summer. The social and entertainment to be given by this order April 17, promises to be a grand success as the tickets are going with a rush.

The Uniform Rank will meet at the home of Harold Rice, 1312 Kinney street next Friday at 7 o'clock.

New Officers.

At the annual election of officers of the Board of Trade of Chillicothe, Thursday night, the following were elected: C. M. Hayes, president; W. L. Roche, first vice president; E. L. Bergman, second vice president; Richard Enderlin, Albert Schuli and W. L. Stockin, trustees.

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"Taft My Choice" Says Dr. W. D. Tremper

"Doctor, who is your choice for president?"

The question was fired at Dr. W. D. Tremper, secretary of The Royal Building & Loan Association Company, when a Times man called on him Friday afternoon to secure an expression from him in regard to the presidential race.

The Doctor did not wait a second, but came right back with the answer.

"William H. Taft," he said, and then after a pause, "Taft has made a good president and I am one of those who think he is entitled to a second term. Now, if he had been unsafe, there might be reason for seeking another Republican to replace him, but the circumstances do not justify such a movement as Roosevelt has made."

"Why the country was never more prosperous than at present. We never had such big pay-rolls, never such a volume of business, and under these conditions where is the demand for a change? Take our building associations, for instance, whose business depend upon the savings of the people, why these Associations in the United States have deposits of One Thousand Millions of dollars. Think of it—a Billion dollars—and all saved from the nation's weekly pay-roll. The Associations of Ohio alone show a deposit of 180 millions.

"Why take the Royal right here at home; it never had bigger deposits or more prompt payment of dues. The deposits of the Loan Associations themselves show that the people are not only making money, but are putting it away. And this is saying nothing about the vast sums of their money deposited in savings banks throughout the country. These things indicate prosperity, and yet, despite this fact Roosevelt is going about advocating innovations of government which, if adopted, might turn the financial system of the country topsy-turvey."

"Then you and Teddy do not exactly agree" suggested the Times man.

"We do not," replied the Doctor with a smile. "I do not like a man who says things he does not feel, and I am confident that is what Roosevelt is doing. If we are to take the Colonel at his word, he has reached the conclusion that representative government is a failure and he wants it abolished and direct rule substituted in its place. I cannot for a moment agree with him. Direct government by the people is a mammoth, for the populace makes and unmakes kings and emperors at will. Some had a popular government. And it is pretty hard to review the history of Rome and find a period when it did not have a demagogue at the head of it.

"While I would not say that direct legislation in this country would result in mob rule, for the American people are not a mob, and I have all faith in their ability to settle any question right if given time to think it over, yet direct legislation would offer exceptional opportunities for the demagogues of the country to work upon the impulses of the people and lead them into the adoption of measures which upon second thought they would reject.

"It took eighteen hundred years to develop representative government. Throughout all history the political problem has been to protect the people from their momentary impulses. Representative government does that more effectively than any other system yet devised, by allowing time for the proper consideration of a measure before making it effective. I believe it was Gladstone who said that the American constitution was the "greatest work ever struck off at a given time by the brain and purpose of man." Washington considered it an inspiration and wrote that "it is provided with more checks and barriers against the introduction of tyranny than any government hitherto instituted among mortals, and should it be found less perfect that it can be made, a constitutional door is left open for its amelioration."

"President Taft stands for the continuance of the government under that constitution, and that is why I am for Taft."

"Who do you think will be the Democratic nominee, Doctor?"

The Doctor leaned back in his easy chair and watched the smoke-rings ensuing each other around the chandelier for a few moments in silence. Then he turned to the Times man.

"Well I am not a prophet," he said, "nor the son of a prophet, but it looks to me like Mr. Bryan is the man. I believe that the situation is such in both parties that Bryan must inevitably be the Democratic nominee. Of course, being a Republican and for Taft, I am not particularly concerned about the Democrats, but if it came to a choice between Bryan and Roosevelt I believe I'd take Bryan. I consider him a much safer man. He is not as bad as he sounds."

Loss of Appetite

Which is so common in the spring or upon the return of warm weather, is loss of vitality, vigor or tone, and is often a forerunner of prostrating disease.

It is serious and especially so to people that must keep up and doing or get behindhand.

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That is what the big Horchow store will talk about next week. That means you are going to have an opportunity to save money on such articles, too. Whether you are ready to buy or not keep an eye on this space. You will learn how to furnish your house with dependable articles at the lowest cost. Watch for the bargains Monday.

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KNIGHTS TEMPLAR TO OBSERVE GOOD FRIDAY

In accordance with the wishes of the Grand Commander of the state, Calvary Commandery will attend services at All Saints' church on Friday evening next.

The Templars will wear full uniform and all the ancient ceremonial identified in the past with the observance of the Death Day of Christ will be employed.

This service will be one of the most impressive ever held in the city. You ought to allow nothing to keep you from it. Make a note of it now and make up your mind to be present. The address will be delivered by the Rev'd. Sir Knight E. Ainger Powell.

THE HOLY WEEK ADDRESSES AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH

At the evening services in Holy Week the rector will give a series of addresses on "Character Studies of Some Chief Actors in the World's Greatest Tragedy" as follows: Monday, "Mary of Bethany"; Tuesday, "Judas Iscariot"; Wednesday, "Pilate the Governor"; Thursday, "Peter the Apostle"; Good Friday, "Joseph of Arimathaea"; Saturday, "The Holy Women."

Services commence at 7:30 p. m. and last one hour. There is nothing in the scheme of things created half so interesting as folks. Come and hear about these people. They were very like you in many ways. In trying to know them you may come to know yourself. The service on Easter Even will be a baptismal service in accordance with the age old custom of Holy Church. Those who intend bringing infants to baptism and adults desirous of being baptized should communicate with the rector some time previous to Holy Saturday.

To Begin Survey

John R. Moore, a division engineer from the state highway department, was in town Saturday, and with County Surveyor George S. Wilhelm made a preliminary view of the proposed improvement in the way of paving another mile of the Chillicothe pike. It was definitively settled that the survey for the improvement shall be commenced next Monday by Mr. Wilhelm, who has been appointed resident engineer by State Highway Commissioner J. R. Marker to supervise the work. The work will be pushed with all possible haste and will be completed no later than May first.

Don't buy an Equity Gas Range simply because it is a "Home product," but buy one for its comfort and convenience, and the patented good features that are to be found on his range only.

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Love Note In Bottle

Sealed bottles containing notes from love-sick youths and maidens, seeking correspondents, continue to be picked up almost daily by local rivermen.

The latest found floating just below York Place, Friday, read thusly "Whatever (white) boy, between the ages of 16 and 20 who would like to correspond with a girl 16 years old, please write to

Miss Bessie Jones,
222 Washington Street,
March 29, 1912 Portsmouth, O.

Earl Phillips, of Front street, gathered in a bottle recently that came all the way from Apollo, Pa., and addressed a tender missive to the fair one up in the Keystone State. Friday's mail brought a reply and Earl was so enraptured with its contents that he has been wearing it next to his heart ever since.

Goes To See Intended

Mail Carrier Jno. Ault left Saturday on one of his periodical trips to Wilmington, Ohio. John's friends say this will be his last, as it has been tipped off that he is to be married next June.

Ed. Is Annoyed.

A complaint was received at police headquarters Friday evening about Donald and Kenneth Singer annoying Ed. Ernst, proprietor of the Sample shoe store at Eleventh and John streets.

Jacob Genson of Load, Ky., is the guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ida Jones of 222 Washington St., and other relatives here.

At Catlettsburg.

C. H. Wellman of Sixth street, left today for Catlettsburg to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wellman.

FRENCH METHOD OF DEVELOPING THE BUST

Mdme. DuBarrie Explains Free How the Bust May Be Developed 2 to 8 Inches in 30 Days.

"I am explaining for the first time to the ladies of America," says Madame DuBarrie, "the French Method of developing the bust. It is much more effective, the results appear much more quickly, the breasts become more firm, plump and symmetrical, the method is more simple, the effects more lasting, and altogether beyond comparison with the results produced here.

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Straw Matting Rugs, 9 by 11-8 at each $2.89

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TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

—OF—

The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Co.

—OF—

PORTSMOUTH, OHIO

For the Fiscal Year Ending February 29, 1912

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash on hand	$ 1,118.96	Running stock and dividends	$ 78,365.96
Loans on mortgage security	216,980.52	Credits on mortgage loans	18,975.94
Furniture and fixtures	250.00	Paid-up stock and dividends	77,438.08
Real estate	3,300.00	Deposits and accrued interest	42,169.04
Due for insurance and taxes from borrowers	108.46	Reserve fund	4,250.00
		Undivided Profit fund	303.91
		Other liabilities, in detail	265.00
Total	$221,757.96	Total	$221,757.96

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Cash on hand at close of last fiscal year	$ 7,062.56	Loans on mortgage security	$ 35,150.00
Dues on running stock	30,591.81	Withdrawals of running stock and dividends	32,831.48
Paid-up stock	21,300.00	Withdrawals of paid-up stock	22,150.00
Deposits	26,364.42	Withdrawals of deposits	15,410.37
Loans on mortgage security repaid	62,921.62	Borrowed money	28,000.00
Borrowed money	28,000.00	Insurance and taxes paid for borrowers	151.51
Real estate sold	1,940.54	Dividends on paid-up stock	4,279.48
Real estate sold on contract	20.00	Interest on deposits	1,320.27
Insurance and taxes refunded by borrowers	333.74	Interest on borrowed money	221.40
Interest	14,263.87	Salaries and expenses	2,727.66
Fines	67.83	Cash on hand	1,118.96
Rents from Company's real estate	503.85		
Total	$193,370.24	Total	$193,370.24

PROFIT AND LOSS		PROFIT AND LOSS	
Interest	$ 14,263.87	Dividends on running stock	$ 5,138.12
Fines	67.83	Dividends on paid-up stock	4,336.70
Rents from Company's real estate	503.85	To reserve fund	325.00
Other earnings, in detail	60.54	Interest on deposits	1,036.55
Balance September 1, 1911	308.34	Interest on borrowed money	221.40
		Salaries and expenses	2,892.66
Total	$ 15,204.23	Total	$ 15,204.23

STATE OF OHIO, SCIOTO COUNTY, SS.:

Marvin C. Clark being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Company, of Portsmouth, Ohio, and that the foregoing statement and report is a full and detailed report of the affairs and business of said Company for the fiscal year ending on the 29th day of February, A. D. 1912, and it is true and correctly shows its financial condition at the end of said fiscal year.

MARVIN C. CLARK, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 22d day of March, A. D. 1912.

CECIL S. MILLER, Notary Public.

CERTIFICATE OF THREE DIRECTORS OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

We, the undersigned Simon Labold, Joseph Frantz and W. H. Doerr, of the said The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Company of Portsmouth, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the said Company on the 29th day of February, A. D. 1912, and a true statement of its affairs and business for the fiscal year ending on that day.

SIMON LABOLD,
JOSEPH FRANTZ,
W. H. DOERR.

I hereby certify that I have made a detailed examination of the books and accounts of The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Company, and that the above is a true statement of its financial condition at the close of business February 29, 1912.

CARL A. SPRECHER, Special Auditor.

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The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Co.

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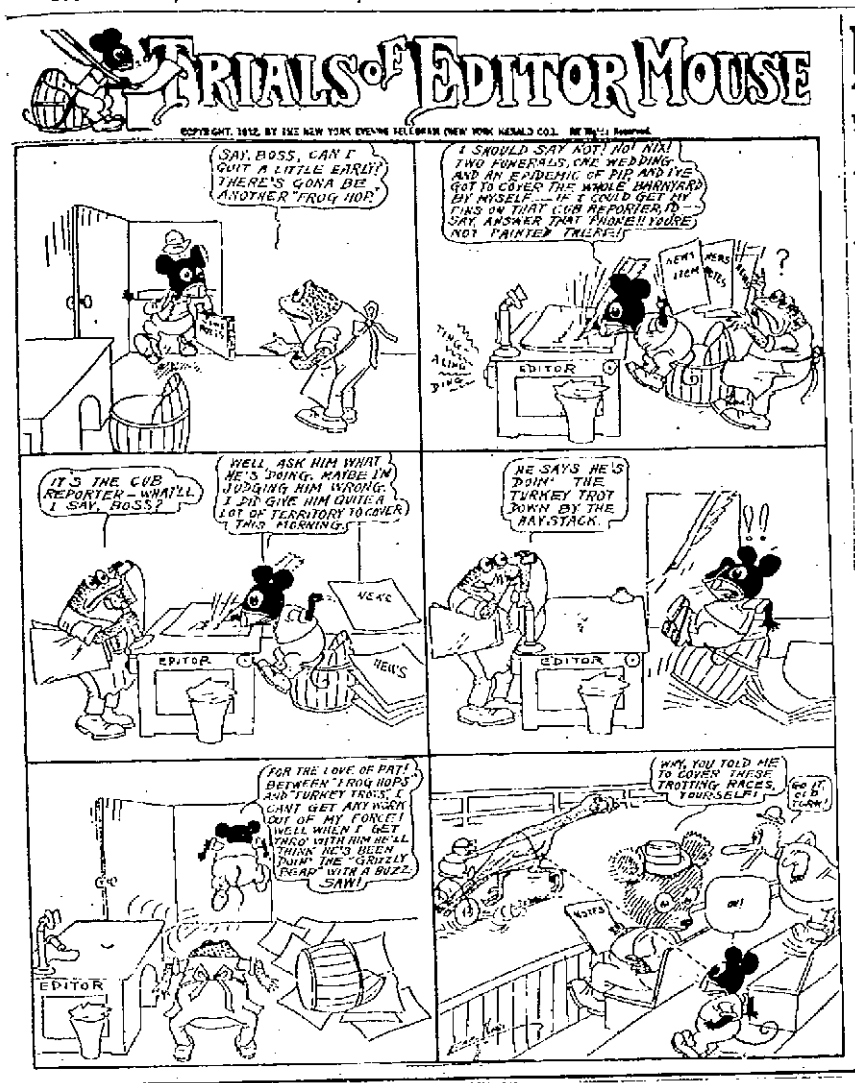


THE WEEK IN THE OHIO CON-CON

(By S. D. R. Smith.)

Columbus, O., March 30.—With the liquor question, woman suffrage and the initiative and referendum disposed of, the constitutional convention began preparations this week for adjournment. A few important amendments still remain to be dwelt with, but all forces are combining to force an early end to the sessions. May 6 is the tentative date set, but no definite action has been taken.

Of the matters which still await settlement at the hands of the constitution makers, taxation, short ballot, judiciary reform and questions pertaining to labor loom up in the immediate foreground. With these out of the way final adjournment will be only a matter of hours.

A resolution providing for sine die adjournment was introduced Thursday by Delegate Beattie, of Wood county, and chances are good for its adoption. The Beattie plan provides for a recess April 26 until May 6, when the convention will reconvene to complete its work. Final adjournment is provided for May 11. It is Beattie's plan that during the recess the committee on arrangements and phraseology and the committee on address to the people shall complete their work.

There was rejoicing this week in the camp of the initiative and referendum backers in the convention.

With the passage Wednesday night of a compromise measure granting to the people the right to initiative desired laws and constitutional amendments and to pass on all legislation enacted by the legislature, came cheers from weary delegates and a realization that the hardest fight in the convention was ended.

The proposal finally adopted was the Cassidy (of Logan) substitute for the original Crosser proposal. It omits all reference to the direct initiative of desired laws. The final vote on it was 97 to 15.

The high lights of the proposal, as adopted, are:

The voters have indirect initiative on any law or constitutional amendment and direct initiation on any constitutional amendment.

They can use the referendum on any law passed by the legislature, except certain emergency measures.

Petitions for the indirect initiation of laws must bear the signatures of 6 per cent of the voters of the state as determined by the votes cast at the last gubernatorial election; for the indirect initiation of constitutional amendments, 8 per cent; for the direct initiation of constitutional amendments, 12 per cent; for the referendum in all cases, 6 per cent.

The voters can't use the initiative to enact into law either the single tax or the classification of property for taxation.

If the legislature refuses to pass a measure petitioned under the indirect initiative, it automatically goes before the voters at the next election.

If the voters adopt it, the governor can't veto it, and it becomes a law.

Delegate Bowdle, of Hamilton, came to the front this week with his long heralded "bachelor tax" proposal. He would give to the legislature the power to "tax bachelors and bachelorhood and provide against the evils resulting therefrom." The proposal will be lost in committee.

Among other proposals submitted during the week are:

By Elson, of Athens, providing for a one-house assembly, composed of 50 members.

By Thomas (Socialist) of Cuyahoga, prohibiting black lists.

By Okey, of Noble, prohibiting one corporation from owning stock in another.

A united States senator, a socialist, a Negro educator and a confessed anarchist received the same treatment at the hands of the convention this week when resolutions inviting Robert M. Lafollette, Eugene V. Debs, Booker T. Washington and Emma Goldman were tabled by the delegates with scant consideration.

SPLENDID SERMON BY REV. T. IRVING REESE

The Reverend Theodore Irving Reese, rector of the Trinity Episcopal church in Columbus, delivered a strong and impressive sermon at All Saints church Friday night.

He took for his subject "The Misdemeanor of Indifference, and from beginning to end it was a splendid talk.

Rev. Reese has what many ministers lack, the power of drawing a word picture in a most interesting way. He uses no gestures to emphasize his story and his voice is low, but it is very distinct and carries to all parts of the church.

There were a number of men at the church Friday night and they were especially impressed with the sermon.

Rev. Reese told the story of the rich man and Lazarus. "There was a certain beggar named Lazarus that laid daily at his gate." On this subject he built a story, one that is known to millions, but told by Rev. Reese it had its new phases.

He said "This parable is the most familiar and most misunderstood of all parables. Lazarus is brought into the story to show the opportunity of the rich man. The condemning act was not that he was rich, not that he was well-dressed, but it was his indifference that was the great sin.

"Indifference is one of the greatest sins in the world of civilization. The greatest sinners are those who are indifferent to their fellowmen. Indifference to human needs.

"Many of you give old clothes that you have hung in the attic or cast away, but there is no sacrifice to the gift. You give just the crumbs from your table instead of sharing the best you have with your fellowman.

"Did Jesus give left-overs? No! He gave the best he had. His entire time.

"If the world is to be redeemed it must be by sacrifice and lifting up of personal life by personal life.

"It is not the crumbs that we must give, but our knowledge and our time. It is the people who don't care that are a drag on the charity and will of the Kingdom of God.

"Ask yourself what you have done for the Lazarus who is at your gate."

Ralph Parlette At The First Christian Church

Ralph Parlette will be the entertainer in the First Christian Lecture Course on next Wednesday evening, April 3, and a great pleasure is promised the audience, indeed. This course is growing in favor with every number, and the number of Wednesday evening will be up to the high plane of the rest of the series. The prospectus says of this speaker:

"Ralph Parlette comes as a representative of the Greater Lyceum. The Greater Lyceum is a world movement in the cause of Uplift. It consists of the Lyceum courses, of which there are more than 12,000 now running in America, and the chautauqua assemblies, of which there are more than 600. These numbers are rapidly increasing. The object is to furnish not only education, but inspiration, clean entertainment and artistic excellence. Hundreds of men and women give their entire time to the Lyceum. The list includes statesmen, authors, scientists, ministers, reformers, grand opera singers, and the eminent in every line.

"The Lyceum has made it possible for the smallest town to command the world's greatest authors, orators, artists and entertainers. The Lyceum is working hand-in-hand with the church and the school. It is generally managed by them as a part of their work. The Lyceum comes into a community to uplift it and to inspire its young people to higher careers.

"A vast machinery of bureaus and traveling representatives has been created. Millions of dollars are invested—invested in the men and women of tomorrow."

MAY FIND INDIAN RELICS IN MOUND

Joe Mitchell, well known Hill Top citizen, expresses the belief that some old Indian relics will be found if the persons now engaged in leveling the big mound near his home will make careful search around the center of the base.

Mr. Mitchell recalls that Captain William Kinney, former Portsmouth banker, and who was quite an archaeologist, many years ago dug a tunnel into the mound, but announced that he had not found anything. Captain Kinney spent years making researches in other mounds of this section, and had one of the largest and best collections of Indian relics in the country.

Ben Hurs Held Good Meeting

An enthusiastic meeting was held by the Tribe of Ben Hur, Friday night. There was a good turn out and a class of seven candidates were initiated. Following the initiatory exercises, a campaign was launched to boost the membership of the tribe to the 1,200 mark. The campaign will run until June 1, and much interest was manifest among those present, and all promised to put forth special efforts to secure new recruits. The tribe has now 1,030 members in good standing, and the campaign to secure the 170 new members to bring the roster up to the number desired promises to be spirited. A committee was appointed, consisting of C. C. Hans and James Marshall to act with a committee from the Cincinnati tribes to further the interest of the order in Southern Ohio.

Are Signing Teddy Petitions

Carl N. Hansen, the local organizer for the Roosevelt fight in this section, is enthusiastic over the way petitions are pouring into his office. Several containing hundreds of names came in from the rural districts Friday, and according to Carl Scioto county farmers strongly favor the former president.

Going Into Fish Business

Jake Price, well known former city water works fireman, has decided to give his undivided attention to fishing and hunting from now on. He has invested $200 in fine fish nets and other equipment and has contracted to supply Hugh Rudity, the Sinton street grocer, with cat and other kinds of river fish regularly every day in the week throughout the spring and summer season.

FLOOD PUMPS ARE ALL O. K.

Chief Engineer David L. Shoemaker, of the water works, says there was nothing wrong with the various flood pumping stations, as some alarmists would have the public believe.

Mr. Shoemaker says he, himself, has had personal supervision of the flood pumps and had them all in good shape for any emergency. Because they were not operated, led some people to believe they were out of commission, when as a matter of fact there was no occasion for starting the pumps at the head of Washington street and in the extreme North End. The water has to reach a certain heighth before it becomes necessary to use the pumps and before the water can be lifted. Mr. Shoemaker adds that if people doubt his statement regarding the condition of the pumps he is willing to convince them by personally conducting them to the stations complained of.

CALCIMINED HIMSELF

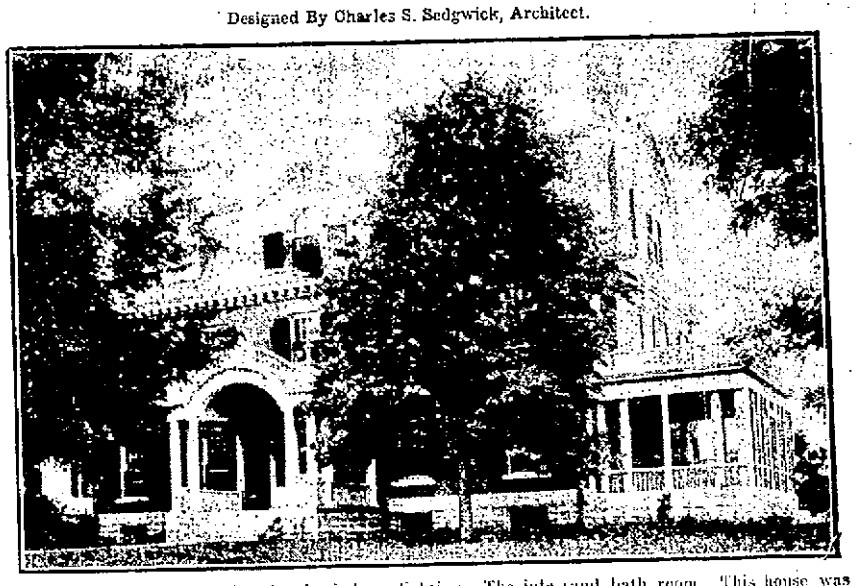
Will Clayton, superintendent of the Irving Drew Shoe Company's Front street plant, presented a sorrowful looking figure following his experience Friday afternoon.

Mr. Clayton was engaged in calcimining some rooms of the factory and was using a spraying machine, when suddenly the hose bursted and Will was literally showered with the white fluid from head to foot.

D. F. CREEKBAUM, Piano Tuner, 1021 Fourth St. New number.

A MODERN BRICK COLONIAL HOME

Designed By Charles S. Sedgwick, Architect.

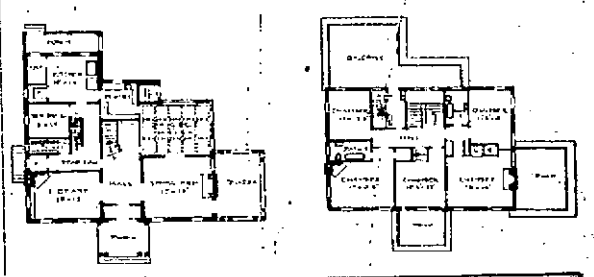


Our illustration is that of a modern brick residence, built on colonial lines, liberal in dimensions, plain in design and home-like in appearance, 52 feet frontage by 48 feet depth, built of the best materials, the outside walls being of a dark vitrified brick, standing with the broad facade to the front with a gambrit roof, and the third story of a good height and well lighted with gable end windows, and dormer windows in front and rear, two large chimneys, one at each end, with liberal fireplaces in the first and second story. The front treatment is symmetrical with a center porch entrance that in itself is a marked feature of the front. The windows of uniform size, large and plain and with outside blinds that are in harmony with the character of the house. At the right end of the house fronting the street is a liberal sun piazza opening in direct connection with the living room.

The appointments in this house are very complete, the rooms of liberal size with a wide central hall and a staircase leading up from the rear of same to the second story with broad platform and windows lighting. The interior finish is very simple and is in white enamel with a low colonial wainscoat around the main hall and up the stairs. The living room and dining room are on the right and the library or den on the left. There is a convenient side entrance on the left and a side or rear hall with stairs from basement to attic for servants' use, servants' dining room and kitchen.

The second floor has five large sleeping rooms and two bath rooms with ample closets, linen closets, etc., complete. The third floor has three rooms for servants and one large amusement room and bath room. This house was built complete, exclusive of heating, plumbing and electric work for $12,000. The basement is full and complete with laundry, drying room, fuel room, room for heating apparatus, etc. This house is heated by two hot water heaters and all of the plumbing and electric work is strictly first-class and of best quality. The floors are of oak and birch, polished, the finish in white enamel, and the doors of mahogany red.

This is a very pleasing type of a modern colonial residence, and worthy of more than a passing notice from those that are interested in such a home.



ANOTHER HITCH OVER SUBWAY

A discussion of the proposed Kendall avenue subway added interest to an otherwise uneventful caucus meeting of council held Friday night.

Five members, Messrs. Cook, Gergens, Schanak, Gulker and Osborn, were present, the latter presiding. Chairman Gulker, of the street committee, in his report stated that not much progress was being made looking toward a solution of the problem, as it appeared now that the N. & W. people are showing a tendency to lay down on their original proposition to assume the entire cost of constructing the subway over the two tracks added since the plans were first submitted. The N. & W. was given a franchise to cross the street two years ago with that understanding.

The N. & W. people, so it was stated, are taking the stand that the city should stand its proportion of the expense of the excavating, masonry and paving for the two proposed tracks to be added on the south side, contending that when the improvement was first agitated the law provided for an equal division of the expense, but had since been changed to 65 and 35 per cent., with the burden on the steam railroads. Attention was called to the fact that the N. & W. has no right-of-way for the two proposed tracks across the street, and under a new law council is powerless to grant such for switching purposes. In other words, the subway is absolutely necessary before these two proposed tracks can be constructed.

After discussing the question at length, the members went on record as unfavorable to the city assuming any more of the expense in making the contemplated improvement further than that contained in the original proposition submitted by Attorney H. T. Bannon on behalf of the steam railroads.

A motion was then passed instructing the solicitor to notify the proper N. & W. officials that council is ready to accept, and that only, the original agreement providing that five of the twelve tracks shall not figure in the city's proposition. Four of these tracks belong to the N. & W. and one to the B. & O. S.-W., and much depends upon the answer of these officials whether or not the improvement is to go forward.

Service Director John M. Williams read a rather tart communication from Samuel M. Grey, consulting engineer of Providence, R. I., whose contract with the old water commission to build a plant was rescinded by council when another engineer was engaged to do the work. Mr. Grey's letter was in reference to his contract, which he stated his attorneys hold as legal and binding on the city, inasmuch as he had held himself in readiness to come at the word and fulfill his part. The writer stated he was entitled to recover and intimated that if a settlement was not made he will resort to the courts. The letter was referred to Solicitor McCall to take what action he deems necessary on it.

John T. Miller appeared and urged council to allow his claim for damages to his property growing out of the paving of Robinson avenue. Referred to the law and claims committee.

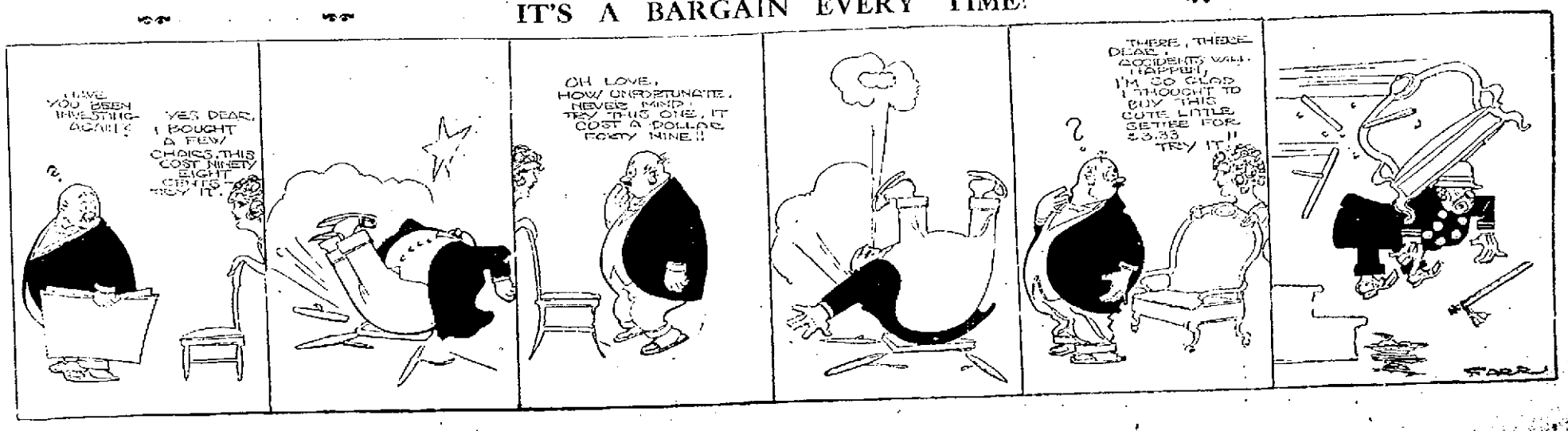
DOWN SCIOTO IN CANOE

Fritz Brewer and B. Muller, of Chillicothe, came to Portsmouth Friday in a canoe, making the trip down the Scioto in about twelve hours, owing to the unusually swift current. They killed thirty-one ducks, and as evidence of their good luck, they proudly exhibited said ducklets to their friends last night. They had their canoe hauled to the N. & W. depot and then shipped back to Chillicothe. Mr. Brewer was formerly located here and was in the employ of the Tritschetler Plumbing Company.

Made Address.

Rev. W. N. Dresel, a former South Webster minister, now of Evansville, Ind., was one of the principal speakers on the Evangelical Church Day at the World in Cincinnati Exposition at Cincinnati this week.

IT'S A BARGAIN EVERY TIME!



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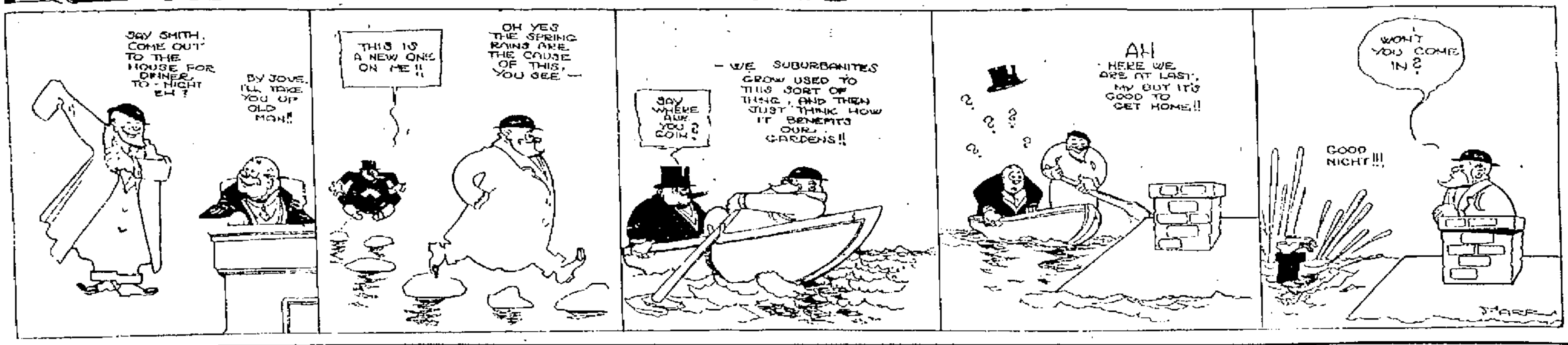
TOLEDO TEAM ON TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY-BROOKLYN HERE THURSDAY-COLUMBUS ON THE LIST

THE JOYS AND SORROWS OF MR. COMMUTE



MANY GAMES NEXT WEEK

EXHIBITION GAMES.

Tuesday and Wednesday, April 2 and 3, Toledo team of the A. A.

Thursday, April 4, Brooklyn team of the National league.

Saturday and Sunday, April 6 and 7, Columbus team of the A. A.

Week of April 17th, Battle Creek team of Illinois-Wisconsin league.

The baseball fans of Portsmouth will have their appetites for the real article appeased next week, for there will be games galore at Millbrook park. Only two idle days, Monday and Friday. Hurrah!

President William Gableman received word, Saturday morning, that the Toledo squad consisting of 25 players and headed by Manager Topsy Hartsel, erstwhile member of the World's Champions, would arrive in Portsmouth Saturday night from Lexington, Ky., and would meet the Portsmouth team on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. The team, which has run into bad weather at Lexington hopes to get into condition at Millbrook. President Gableman having offered them all the courtesies of the park. Manager Childs will doubtless secure one or two players from the Toledo team. He and Harry Hinchman of the Mud Hens are fast friends, the latter having visited here with Manager Childs last winter. The games will be called promptly at 3 o'clock. The regular schedule of prices will prevail at all exhibition games.

The Brooklyn team of the National league, will play the locals at Millbrook park on Thursday afternoon, April 4, when it is thought the park will be crowded with fans. On Saturday and Sunday, the Columbus team of the American Association, headed by Bobby Quinn, will be here for two games, and if the weather is at all propitious, the attendance record at the local park is likely to be broken.

The Battle Creek team, which assembles at Cincinnati, will be here for two games during the week of April 17th. They will probably play here on April 17 and 18, the dates not having been definitely decided upon. The Maysville team of the Blue Grass league will also play here before the opening of the regular season, April 21. All in all the local fans will be privileged to see some of the best teams in the country, and they will doubtless rally to the support of the local club owners who have gone to considerable expense in arranging for the exhibition games.

The locals will get much needed practice and should be in grand shape by the time the season opens on April 24th.

On Saturday morning, President Gableman wired transportation to Pitchers Frank Harter at McKeesport, Ill., and Ed Hartwig, Monroe, Mich., and ordered them to report at once. They will be needed during the exhibition games and will likely report here on Monday.

WRIGLEY LIKES HORNUNG

Lima O., March 30.—That baseball deal which has been incubating for the past few days and which in its consummation will bring Wes Hornung, the former Cobbler short fielder, to the Lima club, is fast reaching a head, and it is believed Wes will sign ere another week passes. Manager Wrigley received a favorable answer from the Portsmouth lad yesterday morning and Hornung states he is anxious to come to Lima. Zeke is in high glee anticipating Wes' signature to the contract forwarded him and thinks the deal will result in the bolstering of the Lima infield. With Nesser clinging to the initial sack, Zeke holding down the pivoter, Hornung at the short field and Long at the far corner there'll be many a budding hit intercepted by this quartet.

BAIRD SIGNS AS COACH

Lima, O., March 30.—Local friends of "Red" Baird, who twirled for the Lima club the closing part of last season, will no doubt be pleased to learn of his appointment as coach of the Ohio State university baseball squad. Baird was the star slabman last year on the varsity, joining the Columbus team of the American Association at the close of the college season. He remained with the Senators for a few weeks and was later sold to the Lima club. He played good ball here and made a large circle of close friends while in this city. "Red" will begin work at once and round the varsity team into shape for a strenuous season. He has a splendid squad to work with and will no doubt make a success of it. Good luck, "Red."

Russell Blackburne, the $10,000 shortstop, is the man for whom George Stallings of the Buffalo International league has been dickering. Just what kind of a proposition the class AA magnate made is not known, but it is believed that Comiskey will hearken unto George's pleadings if Stallings will agree to give the Sox the pick of the 1912 Bisons. Blackbourne is reported to be willing to go back to the International league, in which organization he made his $10,000 rep.

Bowling Schedule For City Tourney

The following is the schedule of the City Tournament to be held under the auspices of the Portsmouth Bowling Association, beginning next Monday. The five men events will be pulled off at the Old Mill alleys, the doubles at Distels while the individuals will be decided at the Play House alleys. Total pins are to count and the player who scores the greatest number of pins will be declared the city champion, a position he will be compelled to defend at least every two weeks.

The schedule as made up by Messrs. Morford, Barron and Distel follows, there being 14 teams entered in the five men events:

Monday, April 1st.
Straus' Specials.
Billy Barron's Bronchos.

Wednesday, April 3rd.
Esselborn's Five.
Hansen's Five.

Thursday, April 4th.
Kunzelman's Five.
Columbians.

Friday, April 5th.
Cozy Five.
Owls No. 1.

Saturday, April 6th.
Champagne Velvet.
Owls No. 2.

Monday, April 8th.
Eagles No. 1.
Eagles No. 2.

Tuesday, April 9th.
Pirates.
Grizzly Bears.

DOUBLES AT DISTEL ALLEYS.

Monday, April 1st.
7:30 p. m.—Maffey and Koger.
" Barclay and Bassler.
8:15 p. m.—Pressler and Dawson.
" Sheets and Chabondy.
9:00 p. m.—Blecker and Bromall.
" Evans and Creekbaum.

Wednesday, April 3rd.
7:30 p. m.—Wm. Miller and C. Bickel.
" C. Thornton and C. Barr.
8:15 p. m.—Chas. Fuhr and A. Gee.
" E. J. Smith and Crabtree.
9:00 p. m.—W. Boss and J. Knost.
" J. Neff and G. Barr.

Thursday, April 4th.
7:30 p. m.—Eynon and Slaiger.
" Shultz and Moeller.
8:15 p. m.—Cahill and Smith.
" C. Spratt and P. Bauer.
9:00 p. m.—Johnson and Drown.
" Joe Distel and Stan McCall.

Friday, April 5th.
7:30 p. m.—Doherty and Wilhelm.
" Ferguson and Morford.
8:15 p. m.—Kountz and Barron.
" Esselborn and Distel.
9:00 p. m.—Klingman and Harris.
" Billarr and Marple.

Monday, April 8th.
7:30 p. m.—Sheridan and Wanless.
" Malvazos and Malvazos.
8:15 p. m.—Prediger and Walters.
" Prediger and Bussell.
9:00 p. m.—Smith and York.
" Kunzelman and Small.

Tuesday, April 9th.
Debbe and Wilson.
L. Debbe and D. Hughes.
S. McCall and T. Moore.
Gordon and Haley.
Kritlle and Chuesles.
E. Moon and F. Moon.
Benjamin and Pardner, any afternoon.
Moses and Boone, any afternoon.

SINGLES AT PLAYHOUSE ALLEYS.

Monday, April 1st.
7:30 p. m.—Jas. Wanless.
" Frank Dodge.
8:00 p. m.—C. Wilson.
" B. Smith.
8:30 p. m.—L. York.
" T. Chuesles.
9:00 p. m.—J. Distel.
" P. Esselborn.
9:30 p. m.—Morford.
" Kritlle.

Wednesday, April 3rd.
7:30 p. m.—B. Prediger.
" P. Ferguson.
8:00 p. m.—B. Walters.
" P. Prediger.
8:30 p. m.—J. Kunzelman.
" H. Small.
9:00 p. m.—Barron.
" Kountz.
9:30 p. m.—Jos. Distel.
" Stan McCall.

Thursday, April 4th.
7:30 p. m.—Chas. Malvazos.
" Marple.
8:00 p. m.—Moses.
" Boone.
8:30 p. m.—Bussell.
" Billarr.
9:00 p. m.—L. Debbe.
" D. Hughes.
9:30 p. m.—Maffey.
" Koger.

Friday, April 5th.
7:30 p. m.—Sheridan.
" Chris Calvazes.
8:00 p. m.—Pressler.
" Dawson.
8:30 p. m.—Blecker.
" Bromall.
9:00 p. m.—Barclay.
" Bassler.
9:30 p. m.—Sheets.
" Chabondy.

Monday, April 8th.
7:30 p. m.—Evans.
" Creekbaum.
8:00 p. m.—Klingman.
" Harris.
8:30 p. m.—Doherty.
" Wilhelm.
9:00 p. m.—Gordon.
" Haley.
9:30 p. m.—E. Moon.
" F. Moon.

Tuesday, April 9th.
7:30 p. m.—Wm. Miller.
" Chas. Barr.
8:00 p. m.—Chas. Fuhr.
" H. Gee.
8:30 p. m.—Wm. Boss.
" J. Knost.
9:00 p. m.—C. Thornton.
" C. Bickel.
9:30 p. m.—E. J. Smith.
" Crabtree.

Thursday, April 11th.
7:30 p. m.—J. Neff.
" G. Barr.
8:00 p. m.—Spratt.
" Bauer.
8:30 p. m.—Benjamin.
" Seller.

Tuesday, April 9th.
7:30 p. m.—C. Shultz.
" A. Cahill.
8:00 p. m.—Moeller.
" Eynon.
8:30 p. m.—Slaiger.
" Smith.
9:00 p. m.—Moore.
" McCall.

The schedule committee used their best judgment in arranging the schedule and hope that all are satisfied with their efforts, but if for any reason some find they cannot bowl on scheduled time or date you may change with any other team as long as it is convenient for the other parties but always notify Sec. Wm. Morford of the change. Any bowlers wanting to roll their doubles or singles in the day time are welcome to do so as long as they have a foul judge and scorekeeper. Always report your scores to the secretary at the Play House.

Yours Truly,
THE SCHEDULE COMMITTEE.
W. T. MORFORD,
WM. BARRON,
JAS. DISTEL.

Fred Clarke's daughter Helen finds much pleasure in daily horseback rides. There are few girls of her age in the country who ride better than she. She had a pony on the Little Prairie ranch when the club was entertained by Clarke a few years ago, and she gave an exhibition of genuine rough riding that excited the admiration of all the players.

CRUM KAHLER ROUNDING TO FORM

George Kahler, who was a [illegible] in the Ohio State league, was so successful one [illegible] season, in fact, that he broke into the American league, is rounding into shape at the Naps Southern league training camp and bids fair to come back with his old time speed and [illegible]. "Krum" experienced an off-season last year, due to a poor start and a sore arm. This year he had the same arm trouble, but according to the accompanying dispatch is rapidly eliminating the [illegible] and hopes to start off on schedule time next month, says the Cleveland Leader.

"George Kahler actually tried his arm this morning for the first time. George pitched to the batters. It was real pitching. In fact, it was so real that several members of the club begged him to ease up so that they could get a crack at the ball.

"Kahler's arm has been sore since the club reached the South. Today was the first time it felt as though there was life in it. He showed speed such as has not been shown by any hurler on the club with the exception of Bill [illegible], to date. [illegible] showed a curve. He never had a better [illegible] [illegible] said, because [illegible] in the past, Kahler had a nifty hook."

ZUBER'S LETTER

Cincinnati, O., March 30.—Unless the Weather Man lights a few extra burners in Nature's gas furnace during the next day or two, and keeps them lit, there will be large armies of ball players suffering with icy arms and frost-bitten batting eyes when the season in the big leagues opens on April 11. Never in the history of organized baseball has there been a spring where the teams have had such unsatisfactory preliminary practice, or where the weather has been so unpropitious in the north for the athletes to finish their training as this year. The Cincinnati Reds have had better weather than any team of either league that has gone South; and even they are complaining of the backsets they have received during the past ten days, the poor weather conditions preventing the pitchers from putting the finishing touches to their work, and calling for added effort when they do reach home. Manager O'Day has not yet announced whom of his pitchers he will retain, but it seems pretty certain that two of the new men will perform in the big tent. Meanwhile the hope for better weather is being fervently expressed in order that the opening game on April 11 and the first Sunday game on April 14, may be played according to schedule and under favorable weather conditions.

Considerable regret was felt in Cincinnati early in the week when the announcement was made that Arlie Latham, former third baseman of the St. Louis Browns, and later with the Reds, had been let out as coach by the New York Giants. Latham's playing days were over when Charlie Irwin succeeded him at third base on the Cincinnati team, and since that time he has been eking out a more or less precarious living as umpire and coacher. Latham has always been recognized as the wittiest coacher the game ever knew. Books could be written about some of his escapades. One of these occurred on a Fourth of July, when Latham was working for Chris Von der Ahe, the St. Louis magnate. Unknown to the boss, Latham concealed a cannon-cracker under the third bag, and then at an exciting period of the game, Lath touched a piece of punk to the cracker. When the report took place Latham leaped into the air and then fell on his side. "Mein Gott," screamed Von der Ahe, "somebody has shooted Latham," and started for the field to carry off the remains of the great clown. A moment later Lath sprang to his feet, bowed to the audience and bade the game go on. The joke cost him $25. It is doubtful that Latham will be able to catch on as coacher with any other team, a fact much to be regretted.

Who has the best chance of winning the pennant in the National league this year? is the question that baseball fans everywhere are asking. It was generally conceded last year that if the Philadelphias had not been deprived of the services of Dooin, Magee and Titus for so great a length of time, that the flag would have floated in the Quaker City. New York won, not so much because it had the best team, but because it suffered less from breakups through injury than any other team. This year the Phillies again look as good as any other team in the league, and with an even break of luck ought to come pretty near winning the pennant. In this connection it is not too presumptuous to say that the Reds look sufficiently better than they did last season to justify the prediction that they'll give all the other teams a hard battle for the highest honors.

Jack Johnson, he of the golden smile, the speed-breaking records and the world's championship punch, is sojourning with us this week. Johnson declares that there is no sentiment in the fight game for him; that the faster they come the better he likes it, provided there is a goodly gunch of coin attached to each encounter in which he engages. The fact that he is expected to meet the Los Angeles fireman, Jim Flynn, will not prevent him taking on his latest challenger, Soldier Ender, within six weeks. A purse of $30,000 and a side bet of $25,000 are the inducements for the go with the soldier boy, who still has a reputation to make, but is vouched for by his manager, Anderson and his trainer, Fred Bogan. Johnson also is willing to take on Carl Morris, whom he does not consider seriously, Sam Langford or any of the others, provided they are properly backed. It is expected that the details of his proposed fight with Elder will be arranged before he leaves the city.

C. H. ZUBER.

Billy Doyle's Phenom Creating A Sensation

George Baumgardner, the Burbourville phenom, and the star of all the twirlers in the Mountain State league last season is making good with the St. Louis Browns right off the jump. Baumgardner, a mere youngster, after one year in professional baseball, was yanked up by "Billy" Doyle, the scout of the St. Louis American league team, being purchased from Huntington for $1000.

He reported to his team at Montgomery, Ala., a few weeks ago and has been setting the camp on fire, and the St. Louis correspondents are hailing him as "another Walter Johnson."

The following article taken from the St. Louis Post-Dispatch and written by W. J. O'Connor, a staff correspondent of that paper, tells just what they think of Baumgardner, and the article will be perused with great interest by the baseball bugs in this vicinity who will follow Baumgardner's career with much pleasant anticipation:

Montgomery, Ala., March 30.—George Baumgardner is the newest sensation at the Browns' camp. George walked up the stage at yesterday's matinee, monopolized the spotlight for a full half hour and was the recipient of what was probably the most lavish praise ever heaped upon the head of a bush league pitcher. Baumgardner has been under the watchful eyes of the wiseacres here for several days. He has tremendous speed, pronounced by critic Wallace Stovall, Griser as "SUPERIOR TO WALTER JOHNSON." He reported with his speed. He has been burning them over for several days, but, although he declares his arm in good shape, he never let loose of a curve or slow ball. Therefore he was not regarded as a potent factor. He didn't have a change of pace. But Baumgardner yesterday got out from under cover. When he started the Korje to pitch to the regulars in batting practice he for the first time used a curve ball, a wicked bender that fooled every batter. Stovall fanned first. Then Billy Hogan took three swipes and a drink. By this time the Shrops began to take notice. Lou Criger went out on the diamond to watch the "hook" break. Wallace took Hallman's turn at the bat and for the edification of the smart Alecs Baumgardner served up the most deceptive assortment of breakers ever seen on the local diamond.

It is hard to appreciate what a sensation Baumgardner caused. All the players gathered around the plate while Wallace tarried at bat. Manager Bob swung at and missed seven curves and then retired amid the heehaws of his hirelings.

After the practice Monte Cross said: "I'm willing to stake my reputation as a judge of ball players, on the prediction that Baumgardner will prove the best young pitcher in the American league this season."

"I was a little afraid at first that he did not own a change of pace. He used a side arm delivery entirely, and I feared he couldn't control a curved ball. But he showed us today. I believe he has as much speed as any man that ever lived, and now that he has shown his curved ball I want to predict that he will make good from the jump."

Wallace seconded the motion:

"He's the best looking kid I have ever had a peek at," declared the manager. And so on down the line. It was one boost after another until the very air reeked of Baumgardner bouquets.

Sudden success didn't worry the youthful pitcher. After partaking of a healthful dinner, he went to a local theatre and did a song and dance as a part of an amateur show.

Incidentally the whole squad paid real coin of the realm to see the new "Walter Johnson" pull an Evan Tanguay.

Manager Callahan has planned to hold a baseball field day at San Antonio next Thursday, with all the possible talent entering. The other squad will stage one at the same time up at Waco. All the stunts, including running race bases, throwing to second and fungo hitting, will be staged, long distance throwing alone being left off the slate.

Ball Player In Shadows Calls For Billy Sunday

The following clipped from the Wheeling News will be read with interest by all lovers of baseball, and those who are interested in the wonderful evangelist, W. A. Sunday, and his work. Sam Barkley was one of the famous old Chicago White Stockings, he and Sunday playing on the team together when the White Stockings were winning pennant after pennant in succession, and the bond of sympathy and friendship has never been severed and never will be. It was in the days of Anson and King Kelley and "Clipper" Flynn, and Al Spalding, and mighty few of those grand players are left.

"I want Bill," what could be more pathetic? Thinking death was near he did not call on the swell preacher or exhorter, but called for "Old Bill," and he very sure Bill was quick to respond. Sam, thinking he is about to be called out by the great umpire, in his extremity Sam turned to the old centerfielder, the same who backed up in many a close play when pennants were at stake. There is something very pathetic in this meeting of the two old ball players. It is a "human interest" story, with shadings sad and suggestive and hopeful:

"I want Bill, Please send for Bill. Tell him I want him."

From the room in which the death angel stalked about, a woman emanated and was seen in conversation with members of the Sunday party. Up in Wellsburg Rev. Sunday was fast asleep, worn out by a strenuous sermon he preached Monday.

All night long Sam Barkley, old professional ball player, who went into many games in the majors with Bill, tossed about on what is believed to be his death bed and in rational moments and while in delirium kept pleading for Bill.

As soon as it was possible to communicate with Billy he hurried to this city and went to the home of Sam Barkley on the Island, and this morning spent several hours with his old pal and friend.

It was a vastly different meeting this morning from the one four weeks ago, when Rev. and Mrs. Sunday visited the Barkley home and found the old major leaguer in the best of health.

When Billy entered the room, hope anew sprung in Barkley's eyes, his strength returned for several minutes and by painful effort he raised himself and grasped the evangelist's hand.

He requested that a prayer meeting be held there and Rev. Jacob Brittingham of the Island Episcopal church, and several other friends who were present conducted a prayer meeting.

With his arms around Barkley's shoulders Billy talked with him for an hour and then prayed with him. Where it was the discussion of old times and the glory of the days in the eighties, this morning it was the future and the glory in the last great slide for home under the eyes of the Great Umpire.

At the end of the meeting Barkley accepted Jesus Christ as his personal saviour and asked Billy to tell all the boys of his conviction and stand. He also beseeches them to turn to Jesus Christ and go to bat for him. Rev. Brittingham will baptize and confirm the old baseball player.

A few days ago Barkley was injured and no hope is entertained for his recovery. In his illness another of Rev. Sunday's philanthropies has come to light as Rev. Sunday has engaged the best physicians in Wheeling to attend his old friend.

LINE-UP OF THE BABES

Chillicothe, O., March 30.—President Siberell today gave out a list of the ball players who have either been signed, or told to come on for a tryout with the local club:

Outfielders—Phil Cherry, Columbus; Frank McDonald, Bradford; J. C. Anderson, Columbus; Ray Brown, Paris, Ky.; Albert Betzel, Celina; E. J. Ross, Cambridge; C. F. Ullman, Peoria, Ill. The last named was formerly in the New York State league and last year with Canton, Ill., in the Illinois and Missouri league. He bought his own release and was recommended by Umpire Baphun.

Shortstops—J. T. Kohler, Chestertown, Md.; Fred A. Schuller, New Bavaria.

First Base—Harry McCall, Leesburg; Clark Cottrill, address unknown.

Second Base—Wilbur Davis, Union City, Ind.; Cyril Mauer, Versailles, O.

Third Base—Orlando Keller, Chillicothe; Willis Bunnworth, Bremen, O.

Catchers—Raymond Ryan, Cincinnati, Mgr.; Willard Stewart, Nelsonville; Roy C. Eschstein, Irish, Chester; Jack Ketchell, Columbus.

Pitchers—B. B. Brebe, Ft. Atkinson, Wis.; Charles La Follette, Crawfordsville, Ind.; D. J. Rankin, Coalton; John Potter, Zaleski; J. M. Waldren, Morgantown; Frank Caldwell, Waverly; Frank Schreiber; Alfred Becker, Cincinnati; C. M. McCarley, Farmington, O.; Edward Evans, Cliff, Ky.; R. F. Nessler, Piketon; Assistant Mgr.—Jacob Werner.

Ball Players Visited Selby Shoe Plant

Members of the local ball club took advantage of the rainy weather Friday to go through the Selby shoe factory. Many of them had never stepped inside of a factory of this character and magnitude and they enjoyed the treat. They were shown through the various rooms and this and that machine was explained explicitly by Mr. Marquette, who piloted the ball tossers through the factory.

When the fitting room was reached John Weinberg became bewildered by the sea of feminine faces. "Nix on this room for mine," chortled Weiny and the song backed him up so the girls were denied the privilege of glimpsing at the ball players in their street garb. It was a great sight to them to see how neatly and quickly a pair of shoes can be turned out and they enjoyed it.

The optimistic Barney Dreyfuss has been smiling ever since Pittsburg got Donlin in exchange for Campbell. Barney thinks he put one over on Messrs. Ward and Gaffney. But the Boston magnates say "Wait."

Ragsdale Is Traded

Manager Keller of the Fort Wayne club has traded Catcher Ragsdale and outfielder Rube DeGroff to the Lowell team of the New England league for Catcher Huston.

Ragsdale formerly caught for the local team of the Ohio State league.

Better Buy Season Book

It is now thought that the season books will go on sale Monday morning. The books have arrived and the baseball fans of this city will no doubt respond liberally. The books are of two denomination, $25.00 and $10.00. The former will entitle the holder or any of his friends to admission to every one of the 50 games scheduled at Millbrook park. This book is transferable and can be used by anyone. The $25.00 book entitles the purchaser to $35.00 worth of baseball, while the $10.00 book is worth $13.50 in games. The club owners hope to dispose of many books. It will mean that there will be considerable money in the strong box when the season opens, thereby insuring the fans of an air tight team for the entire season.

O'Day Defends His Name

Springfield, O., March 30.—"I've been in professional sports for years, and this is the first time an attempt ever was made to deny me my birthright," said Manager Hank O'Day of the Harvesters, last evening, in reference to an article which appeared in a St. Louis paper that his name was Day and not O'Day.

"I am not a four-flusher or a criminal, that I would have to change my name," continued the Harvester pilot and he proceeded to tell his pedigree when he was asked about the piece by a fan. "My father was a 'Mick' like the Irish from the old sod, but my mother is French. I look like her.

"I rode the ponies for four years and have played baseball for 12 years, but never before was an attempt made to say that I was not Irish and had annexed the 'O' in my name."

BASEBALL

Bill Dahlen says he has a powerful staff of pitchers with Rucker, Barger, Stack, Knetzer, Ragan, Schardt and Allen to depend upon.

"Forget the world's series last fall" is McGraw's advice to the Giants, "and win another pennant. Maybe next time we can put the rollers under the American league champions."

Jack Powell of the Browns, in spite of the fact that he weighed 225 pounds when he reported for duty, says he has no doubt as to his ability to pitch as well as ever.

Wilbert Robinson, the Giants' coach, who is teaching Rube Marquard how to control his phenomenal speed, thinks the southpaw will be steadier this year.

Here From Manchester.

John Roach, a Manchester farmer, arrived here Friday for a brief visit to his friend, Paul McNally, of the wholesale liquor firm of Crummel & McNally.

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Frank Freshour Killed In Automobile Accident

Frank Freshour, 28, succumbed at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon to injuries received in an auto accident which occurred on Third street near the Maddox home, about 8 o'clock Friday night.

The victim of the distressful accident was a member of the firm of Freshour Bros., commission merchants and grocers, doing business at 598 Gallia street. Last night he started out unaccompanied with the auto truck to make a delivery, and getting lost in the darkness, ran into a small ravine and then crashed into some trees. The impact threw the man onto the steering wheel and when found he was unconscious. He was removed to the home of his mother on Gallia street, where Dr. Allard rendered medical aid and the man later revived, and it was not believed that he had been seriously hurt. Early Saturday he began to sink rapidly, and it was then that an examination disclosed that Freshour had been internally injured and that there was no hope for his recovery. The patient grew worse from hour to hour, and finally breathed his last this afternoon.

The victim of the deplorable accident is survived by his mother, Mrs. Sarah M. Freshour, two brothers, Carey E. and Philip R., and a sister, Miss Blanche, and they were all associated in the business, which appeared to be prospering. The death of the young man was a great shock to them as well as to his legion of friends about town.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral, although it is likely it may be held on Sunday afternoon.

Socialist Paper Not to Suspend

Various papers, The Times included, published last week a telegraphic item to the effect, that the Appeal to Reason, the great organ of Socialism, was to suspend publication.

Local Socialists say the report was spread abroad to injure the paper, that there is no purpose whatsoever to discontinue it and never was it in such a prosperous condition as right now, and never so promising of long life. This information comes direct from the publishers of the Appeal.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

To Build New Story

J. A. Ausler & Son, contracting carpenters, have taken the contract to erect another story on the dwelling of John Gray, of Ninth street. The work on the houses at Second and Bond streets, which is being done by the Ousler firm, is progressing fine.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Woman Quite Sick.

Mrs. Earl Henson, wife of a colored porter employed with Adolph Hurth, is reported dangerously ill at their home in the North End.

For Sale!

Five draft horses, weighing from 1300 to 1460 pounds. All young. One driving horse, city broke; five years old; weighs 1200 pounds.

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TENTH AND LINCOLN STREETS.

SOCIETY

Miss Mary Reutinger's class of the First Presbyterian church met in social session yesterday afternoon at the residence of Miss Elizabeth Schuler, on West Front street. After the usual sewing the hostess served dainty refreshments. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Miss Violet Clark, of West Second street.

Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Baumann will go to Cincinnati, Monday, to see the great missionary exposition.

Mr. Charles Turley will arrive home from Cornell University the latter part of next week, and his sister, Miss Nell, will come from the Laurel School in Cleveland, to spend the Easter vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie C. Turley, of East Second street.

Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Magee have returned from Cincinnati, where they enjoyed seeing "The World."

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Captain J. P. Kelley, of Pulaski, Va., arrived in this city yesterday, to see his daughter, Mrs. J. Q. Payne, of East Eleventh street, who has been seriously ill for several days, as the result of an operation, performed several days ago. Mrs. Payne was reported as improving today.

Miss Lucy Jeffords, of the Excelsior office, resigned her position today.

Mrs. Lucy Taylor and son, Benton, of Greenup, Ky., are the guests of Miss Dode Jeffers, of West Sixth street.

Miss Dode Jeffers, of West Sixth street, returned last evening from a visit with friends in Ashland, Ky.

The W. E. D. Club will meet this evening with Misses Marie and Irma Bauer, at their residence on East Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shump, of Grandview avenue, have as guests, Miss Cynthia C. Malone, of Tacoma, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder and son, Wayne, of Lucasville.

A delightful party was given Friday evening at the home of Miss Mary Billings, when she entertained a number of her young friends in a most pleasant manner. All kinds of games and music was indulged in, and at a suitable hour delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Eliza Billings, Hortense Billings, Beecher Heid, Lucile Bush, Mary Billings, C. Merritt, Daisy Milborn and Robert Bumgartner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heinisch, who have been living in Harvard Place, moved Saturday to Mr. Heinisch's new home on Clay St.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dowling and winsome little daughters, Helen and Dorothy, returned Saturday from Cincinnati where they attended "The World."

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Grimes, Mrs. Homer Butz and daughter, Mildred, have returned from Mineral Springs, where they spent a week with A. N. and Homer Butz.

The degree staff of White Lilly Council of the Daughters of America will go to Ironton on the evening train tonight to take part in the initiation of several candidates in the order there.

Thirty or more members of the local order will make the trip and will return to Portsmouth early Sunday morning. A banquet will be given in their honor after the business session tonight.

Quite a number of Sciotoville ladies were in the city shopping Saturday. They were Mrs. E. E. Hacquard and sister, Mrs. Lester Finney, Mrs. F. M. Stewart and daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Allard; Mrs. Theodore Shump and daughter, Mrs. John Hutchins, Mrs. J. K. Hastings and daughter, Mrs. Florence Bell, Mrs. Hasseman and Miss Elva and Bess Todd.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Margaret Eugene is the name given to the pretty little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scherer of Summit street.

Mr. and Mrs Thomas Hartman of Lucasville spent Saturday with Mr. Hartman's mother at Wheelersburg.

Frank Kendall and wife are enjoying their surroundings at Boynton, Florida, to such an extent that they have decided to remain there three weeks longer.

Mrs. A. Linzilla of Cincinnati, returned home Saturday at the end of a delightful visit with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Trigg of East Third street.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mr. Mark W. Selby left Saturday for Upper Sandusky, O., to spend Sunday with his wife and daughter, Christine, who are visiting Mrs. Selby's parents.

Mrs. Frank Graf, who five weeks ago was operated upon in the Good Samaritan Hospital in Cincinnati, is now able to walk a little each day. She hopes to be able to return home some time next week.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Selby who have been sojourning in California for the past three weeks will leave Monday for New Orleans, where they will remain a week before starting home. They may return by way of New York.

The New Century Club held one of their unusually interesting and instructive meetings yesterday afternoon, in the club parlors, when the following program was rendered:

Music by Club.
Roll Call—Important events of the Past Year.
"The Public Schools a Public Welfare Center," Mrs. Everard; read by Mrs. George Small.
Duet—Mrs. Webb and Miss Little.
"The Awakened Public Conscience," Mrs. Wait.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Grimes.
Current Events—Mrs. Patterson.
Address—Judge James.

The address of Judge James on the relations of the schools to the perpetuity of the nation aroused the deepest interest among those who had the pleasure of being in the audience yesterday afternoon.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mrs. Philip Reinoehl entertained a number of friends last evening with a supper party, in honor of the forty-fifth birthday anniversary of Mr. Reinoehl, who is one of the city's popular mail carriers. In readiness for the occasion, the interior of the home was beautifully decorated with ferns and flowers, and the banquet table, laden with the season's delicacies, was adorned in fragrant hyacinths. The birthday cake, adorned with forty-five red candles, formed the centerpiece. Those who were present to congratulate Mr. Reinoehl on this enjoyable occasion were: Mrs. Lizzie McFann, Miss Lucy Reinoehl, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Minford and daughters, Gertrude, Ade and Kathleen, Mr. John Neary, of Wellston, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. White, Mrs. John Stockham, Miss Mary E. Porter, Dr. and Mrs. Steitz and son, Howard, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bennett and daughter, Stella, Miss Katie Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crowe and daughter, Ida, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stockham, Rev. and Mrs. George Brandau, Mrs. John Clutts, of Wheelersburg, Mr. David Kellner, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Sampson and daughters, Ada and Lola, and Harry and Blanche Bradbury.

Mrs. Annie Bolmer and two sons, Arthur and Gerald, of East Sixth street, are visiting with relatives on Carey's Run.

The spring vacation during the past week, has been an excuse for many delightful afternoon parties among the children, and none were more charmingly arranged than the birthday party this afternoon, with Mrs. Bertha Sowers, Wheeler's little daughter, Fern Curry, as the delightful little hostess, who entertained twelve little friends in celebration of her twelfth birthday anniversary. The many games and a "dress-making" contest, for which a prize was given, and music, arranged for the pleasure of the young folk, helped to pass the afternoon most enjoyably. The dainty repast was served in the dining room, where Easter decorations were in evidence, tiny Easter chicks, perched on each plate, supplying the souvenirs. Also at each cover was a small birthday cake, with one red candle, and the large birthday cake, aglow with twelve red candles, formed the centerpiece. Surrounding the table were the following merry young folks: Carrie Elizabeth Pfarr, Muriel Turner, Mary Alice Shoots, Hortence Brawley, Flossie Mills, Helen Dupre, Thelma and Edna Turner, Dorothy Eck, Ruth Patton, Ruth Fairtrace, Florence Irwin and the little hostess.

Dr. F. H. Williams returned from Ironton Friday night. He was accompanied by Mrs. Anna Newman and daughters, the Misses Elizabeth and Florian Newman, mother and sisters of the late Mrs. Williams, who will remain here until the Doctor decides as to his future plans.

The Tourist Club will meet on Tuesday evening with Miss Lula Dawson, of Jackson avenue.

Mrs. Roy Pennywitt, of Charleston, W. Va., will arrive in the near future to be the guest of Mrs. Alfred Richardson, of East Fourth street, and to attend the Elks' Easter hop.

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TOLEDO CLUB IS TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY

There will be a game of baseball, a real game in Millbrook Park Sunday afternoon. Is there any surer harbinger of gentle spring?

The Portsmouth League team will have as its opponents the strong Toledo American Association team. The Mud Hens, 44 strong, will arrive here late tonight from their training camp at Lexington, Ky. The team comes for a four days' stay—Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Now, Mr. Fan, you will have a fine opportunity of looking over the players, who will represent the River City in the Ohio State League this year.

Go out and watch Weiny shoot 'em down to second, Edwards scoop 'em up at first and the celebrated Cain trio in action. These games are going to be real diamond battles.

Manager Childs will use three recruits in the game tomorrow and Manager Hartsel will trot out three of his young pitchers.

Play will begin at 2:30, and Buck Yeager will umpire the game. Fine weather is promised and 1,000 fans should turn out.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Girl Was Scalded

Rosina, eldest child of Pius Frederick, meat dealer, was badly scalded by her mother spilling a cup of hot coffee over her Friday evening. Mrs. Frederick was waiting on her father, August Maier, when he unexpectedly arose from his chair at the table, bumping against her hand and upsetting the cup. The little girl was scalded about the top of the head, ear and arm.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

HAMMER AND PAINT

J. W. Jordan, the East Eleventh street grocer, has begun the construction of a seven-room house on Baird avenue.

The foundation is in for the cottage house to be erected for Dr. A. G. Sellards, at the corner of Fourth and Bond streets.

Architects Devoss and Patterson will open bids Monday for the construction of the new livery stable Al Windle will erect on West Third street. A number of local contractors have submitted bids.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

RICKEY BROKE HIS LEG

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 30.—Branch Rickey, Michigan coach, who was struck just below the knee by a batted ball during practice in the cage the other day, is on crutches. The crack broke a leg bone.

Had Hurry Call.

Police received a hurry call to Seventh and Broadway late Saturday. A man named Hughes was reported throwing brickbats at residents of the neighborhood.

Will Return To Waverly.

Thomas Hutt has resigned his position in the yard office at the N. & W. terminals, and will likely return to his home in Waverly.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Saloma Creames left this morning for Kentucky, where she will be with her sick sister, Mrs. Nancy Sheets, and also her sick brother, Mr. James Logan. They are both very low.

Mrs. Bertha Alsdon, who has been ill, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Charles Jeffords, of West Sixth street, who has been ill with neuralgia of the heart, is resting easier today.

J. J. Lloyd, of Vine street, New Boston, who has been ill with stomach trouble for three weeks, is improving.

Frank Ford, 537 Twentieth St., who has been quite ill for the past few weeks suffering with bronchitis, is improving rapidly and hopes to be out within the next few days.

Harry, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Copper of Front St., is improving from a four weeks' illness with pneumonia fever.

Frank Cramer expects to resume his duties at B. & O. S-W. yardmaster, Monday, after a month's lay off, due to a severe case of pneumonia and pleurisy.

Wilbur Paxton, of the C. & O. ferry crew, and wife, both of whom have been very ill at their home in South Portsmouth with pneumonia, are now reported recovering.

Mrs. Adolph Hurth, Jr., has been suffering with a sever cold at her home on Guy street for the past few days and is now threatened with pneumonia.

OBITUARY

Prof. Leon

A dispatch from Mansfield, O., tells of the death Friday of Jesse Albert St. John, better known as Prof. Leon, who has visited Portsmouth on many occasions. Prof. Leon was an old time tight-rope walker and performed many daring feats during his long career. His death was directly due to injuries he sustained in a fall last December upon his return from his annual season on the road.

Compliment

William Compliment, 74, died at his home in Ironton, Friday from the effects of a stroke of paralysis which he sustained six years ago. He is survived by his wife and four sons and two daughters. Mr. Compliment also leaves many relatives in this city.

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ROUND HOUSE IS ASSURED

A B. & O. S.-W. official who was here from Baltimore Friday announced that the recommendations for a new round house in Portsmouth had been favorably acted upon. The new building will be much larger than the present one. Other improvements have been delayed owing to officials being occupied with the wage question.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Will Filed.

The will of Henry Tieman, deceased, late of the West Side, was filed for probate Saturday.

At Brunner's.

Roy Ward has taken a position as deliveryman for Brunner's dry goods store.

Carl N. Hansen, furniture dealer, who has been wrestling with an attack of la grippe for several days, was forced to take to his bed Saturday.

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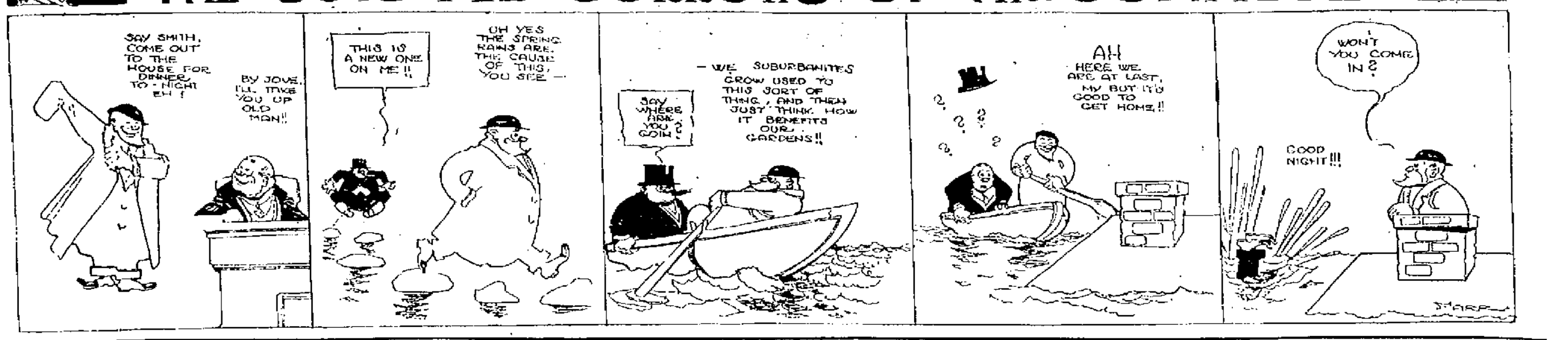
THE JOYS AND SORROWS OF MR. COMMUTE



MANY GAMES NEXT WEEK

EXHIBITION GAMES.

Tuesday and Wednesday, April 2 and 3, Toledo team of the A. A.

Thursday, April 4, Brooklyn team of the National league.

Saturday and Sunday, April 6 and 7, Columbus team of the A. A.

Week of April 15th, Battle Creek team of Illinois-Wisconsin league.

The baseball fans of Portsmouth will have their appetites for the real article appeased next week, for there will be games galore at Millbrook park. Only two idle days, Monday and Friday. Hurrah!

President William Gableman received word, Saturday morning, that the Toledo squad consisting of 25 players and headed by Manager Topsy Harisel, erstwhile member of the World's Champions, would arrive in Portsmouth Saturday night from Lexington, Ky., and would meet the Portsmouth team on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. The team, which has run into bad weather at Lexington hopes to get into condition at Millbrook. President Gableman having offered them all the courtesies of the park. Manager Childs will doubtless secure one or two players from the Toledo team. He and Harry Hinchman of the Mud Hens are fast friends, the latter having visited here with Manager Childs last winter. The games will be called promptly at 3 o'clock. The regular schedule of prices will prevail at all exhibition games.

The Brooklyn team of the National league, will play the locals at Millbrook park on Thursday afternoon, April 4, when it is thought the park will be crowded with fans. On Saturday and Sunday, the Columbus team of the American Association, headed by Bobby Quinn, will be here for two games, and if the weather is at all propitious, the attendance record at the local park is likely to be broken.

The Battle Creek team, which assembles at Cincinnati, will be here for two games during the week of April 15th. They will probably play here on April 17 and 18, the dates not having been definitely decided upon. The Maysville team of the Blue Grass league will also play here before the opening of the regular season, April 21. All in all the local fans will be privileged to see some of the best teams in the country, and they will doubtless rally to the support of the local club owners who have gone to considerable expense in arranging for the exhibition games.

The locals will get much needed practice and should be in grand shape by the time the season opens on April 21th.

On Saturday morning, President Gableman wired transportation to Pitchers Frank Harter at McKeesport, Ill., and Ed Hartwig, Monroe, Mich., and ordered them to report at once. They will be needed during the exhibition games and will likely report here on Monday.

WRIGLEY LIKES HORNUNG

Lima, O., March 30.—That baseball deal which has been incubating for the past few days and which in its consummation will bring Wes Hornung, the former Cobbler short fielder, to the Lima club, is fast reaching a head, and it is believed Wes will sign ere another week passes. Manager Wrigley received a favorable answer from the Portsmouth lad yesterday morning and Hornung states he is anxious to come to Lima. Zeke is in high glee anticipating Wes' signature to the contract forwarded him and thinks the deal will result in the bolstering of the Lima infield. With Nesser clinging to the initial sack, Zeke holding down the pivoter, Hornung at the short field and Long at the far corner there'll be many a budding hit intercepted by this quartet.

BAIRD SIGNS AS COACH

Lima, O., March 30.—Local friends of "Red" Baird, who twirled for the Lima club the closing part of last season, will no doubt be pleased to learn of his appointment as coach of the Ohio State university baseball squad. Baird was the star slabman last year on the varsity, joining the Columbus team of the American Association at the close of the college season. He remained with the Senators for a few weeks and was later sold to the Lima club. He played good ball here and made a large circle of close friends while in this city. "Red" will begin work at once and round the varsity team into shape for a strenuous season. He has a splendid squad to work with and will no doubt make a success of it. Good luck, "Red."

Russell Blackburne, the $10,000 shortstop, is the man for whom George Stallings of the Buffalo International league has been dickering. Just what kind of a proposition the class AA mogul made is not known, but it is believed that Comiskey will hearken unto George's pleadings if Stallings will agree to give the Sox the pick of the 1912 Bisons. Blackbourne is reported to be willing to go back to the International league, in which organization he made his $10,000 rep.

Bowling Schedule For City Tourney

The following is the schedule of the City Tournament to be held under the auspices of the Portsmouth Bowling Association, beginning next Monday. The five men events will be pulled off at the Old Mill alleys, the doubles at Distels while the individuals will be decided at the Play House alleys. Total pins are to count and the player who scores the greatest number of pins will be declared the city champion, a position he will be compelled to defend at least every two weeks.

The schedule as made up by Messrs. Morford, Barron and Distel follows, there being 11 teams entered in the five men events:

Monday, April 1st.
Straus' Specials.
Billy Barron's Bronchos.

Wednesday, April 3rd.
Esselborn's Five.
Hansen's Five.

Thursday, April 4th.
Kunzelman's Five.
Columbians.

Friday, April 5th.
Cozy Five.
Owls No. 1.

Saturday, April 6th.
Champagne Velvet.
Owls No. 2.

Monday, April 8th.
Eagles No. 1.
Eagles No. 2.

Tuesday, April 9th.
Pirates.
Grizzly Bears.

DOUBLES AT DISTEL ALLEYS.

Monday, April 1st.
7:30 p. m.—Maffey and Koger.
" Barclay and Bassler.
8:15 p. m.—Pressler and Dawson.
" Sheets and Chaboudy.
9:00 p. m.—Bleeker and Bromall.
" Evans and Creekbaum.

Wednesday, April 3rd.
7:30 p. m.—Wm. Miller and G. Bickel.
" C. Thornton and C. Barr.
8:15 p. m.—Chas. Fuhr and A. Gee.
" E. J. Smith and Crabtree.
9:00 p. m.—W. Boss and J. Knost.
" J. Neff and G. Barr.

Thursday, April 4th.
7:30 p. m.—Eynon and Staiger.
" Shultz and Moeller.
8:15 p. m.—Cahill and Smith.
" C. Spratt and P. Bauer.
9:00 p. m.—Johnson and Brown.
" Joe Distel and Stan McCall.

Friday, April 5th.
7:30 p. m.—Doherty and Wilhelm.
" Ferguson and Morford.
8:15 p. m.—Kountz and Barron.
" Esselborn and Distel.
9:00 p. m.—Klingman and Harris.
" Bittner and Marple.

Monday, April 8th.
7:30 p. m.—Sheridan and Wanless.
" Malavazos and Malavazos.
8:15 p. m.—Prediger and Walters.
" Prediger and Russell.
9:00 p. m.—Smith and York.
" Kunzelman and Small.

Tuesday, April 9th.
Dodge and Wilson.
L. Deboe and Ol Hughes.
G. McCall and T. Moore.
Gordon and Haley.
Knittle and Ginesles.
F. Moon and F. Moon.
Benjamin and Pardner, any afternoon.
Moses and Boone, any afternoon.

SINGLES AT PLAYHOUSE ALLEYS.

Monday, April 1st.
7:30 p. m.—Jas. Wanless.
" Frank Dodge.
8:00 p. m.—C. Wilson.
" R. Smith.
8:30 p. m.—L. York.
" T. Chicales.
9:00 p. m.—J. Distel.
" P. Esselborn.
9:30 p. m.—Morford.
" Knittle.

Wednesday, April 3rd.
7:30 p. m.—B. Prediger.
" F. Ferguson.
8:00 p. m.—B. Walters.
" F. Prediger.
8:30 p. m.—J. Kunzelman.
" H. Small.
9:00 p. m.—Barron.
" Kountz.
9:30 p. m.—Jos. Distel.
" Stan McCall.

Thursday, April 4th.
7:30 p. m.—Chas. Malavazos.
" Marple.
8:00 p. m.—Moses.
" Boone.
8:30 p. m.—Russell.
" Bittner.
9:00 p. m.—L. Deboe.
" O. Hughes.
9:30 p. m.—Maffey.
" Koger.

Friday, April 5th.
7:30 p. m.—Sheridan.
" Chris Calavazos.
8:00 p. m.—Pressler.
" Dawson.
8:30 p. m.—Bleeker.
" Bromall.
9:00 p. m.—Barclay.
" Bassler.
9:30 p. m.—Sheets.
" Chaboudy.

Monday, April 8th.
7:30 p. m.—Evans.
" Creekbaum.
8:00 p. m.—Klingman.
" Harris.
8:30 p. m.—Doherty.
" Wilhelm.
9:00 p. m.—Gordon.
" Haley.
9:30 p. m.—E. Moon.
" F. Moon.

Tuesday, April 9th.
7:30 p. m.—Wm. Miller.
" Chas. Barr.
8:00 p. m.—Chas. Fuhr.
" H. Gee.
8:30 p. m.—Wm. Boss.
" J. Knost.
9:00 p. m.—C. Thornton.
" G. Bickel.
9:30 p. m.—E. J. Smith.
" Crabtree.

Thursday, April 11th.
7:30 p. m.—J. Neff.
" G. Barr.
8:00 p. m.—Spratt.
" Bauer.
8:30 p. m.—Benjamin.
" Feller.

Tuesday, April 9th.
7:30 p. m.—C. Shultz.
" A. Cahill.
8:00 p. m.—Moeller.
" Eynon.
8:30 p. m.—Staiger.
" Smith.
9:00 p. m.—Moore.
" McCall.

The schedule committee used their best judgment in arranging the schedule and hope that all are satisfied with their efforts, but if for any reason some find they cannot bowl on scheduled time or date you may change with any other team as long as it is convenient for the other parties but always notify Sec. Wm. Morford of the change. Any bowlers wanting to roll their doubles or singles in the day time are welcome to do so as long as they have a foul judge and scorekeeper. Always report your scores to the secretary at the Play House.

Yours Truly,
THE SCHEDULE COMMITTEE.
W. P. MORFORD,
WM. BARRON,
JOS. DISTEL.

Fred Clarke's daughter Helen finds much pleasure in daily horseback rides. There are few girls of her age in the country who ride better than she. She had a pony on the Little Pirate ranch when the club was entertained by Clarke a few years ago, and she gave an exhibition of genuine ranch riding that excited the admiration of all the players.

CRUM KAHLER ROUNDING TO FORM

George Kahler, whose sojourn in the Ohio State league was an eventful one, so eventful, in fact, that he broke into the American league, is rounding into shape at the Naps Southern league training camp and bids fair to come back with his old time speed and hooks. "Krum" experienced an off season last year, a sore arm at the start and a sore arm. This year he had the same arm trouble, but according to the accompanying dispatch is rapidly eliminating the soreness and hopes to start off on schedule time next month. Says the Cleveland Leader:

"George Kahler actually tried his arm this morning for the first time. George pitched to the batters. It was real pitching. In fact, it was so real that several members of the club begged him to ease up so that they could get a crack at the ball.

"Kahler's arm has been sore since the club reached the South. Today was the first time it felt as though there was life in it. He showed speed such as has not been shown by any hurler on the club with the exception of Bill James, to date. But most of all he showed a curve. He never had a better one in his life. That's saying a lot because when right in the past, Kahler had a nifty hook."

ZUBER'S LETTER

Cincinnati, O., March 30.—Unless the Weather Man lights a few extra burners in Nature's gas furnace during the next day or two, and keeps them lit, there will be large armies of ball players suffering with icy arms and frost-bitten batting eyes when the season in the big leagues opens on April 11. Never in the history of organized baseball has there been a spring where the teams have had such unsatisfactory preliminary practice, or where the weather has been so unpropitious in the north for the athletes to finish their training as this year. The Cincinnati Reds have had better weather than any team of either league that has gone South; and even they are complaining of the backsets they have received during the past ten days, the poor weather conditions preventing the pitchers from putting the finishing touches to their work, and calling for added effort when they do reach home. Manager O'Day has not yet announced whom of his pitchers he will retain, but it seems pretty certain that two of the new men will perform in the big tent. Meanwhile the hope for better weather is being fervently expressed in order that the opening game on April 11 and the first Sunday game on April 14, may be played according to schedule and under favorable weather conditions.

Considerable regret was felt in Cincinnati early in the week when the announcement was made that Arlie Latham, former third baseman of the St. Louis Browns, and later with the Reds, had been let out as coach by the New York Giants. Latham's playing days were over when Charlie Irwin succeeded him at third base on the Cincinnati team, and since that time he has been eking out a more or less precarious living as umpire and coacher. Latham has always been recognized as the wittiest coacher the game ever knew. Books could be written about some of his escapades. One of these occurred on a Fourth of July, when Latham was working for Chris Von der Ahe, the St. Louis magnate. Unknown to the boss, Latham concealed a cannon cracker under the third bag, and then at an exciting period of the game, Lath touched a piece of punk to the cracker. When the report took place Latham leaped into the air and then fell on his side. "Mein Gott," screamed Von der Ahe, "somebody has shooted Latham," and started for the field to carry off the remains of the great clown. A moment later Lath sprang to his feet, bowed to the audience and bade the game go on. The joke cost him $25. It is doubtful that Latham will be able to catch on as coacher with any other team, a fact much to be regretted.

Who has the best chance of winning the pennant in the National league this year? Is the question that baseball fans everywhere are asking. It was generally conceded last year that if the Philadelphias had not been deprived of the services of Dooin, Magee and Titus for so great a length of time, that the flag would have floated in the Quaker City. New York won, not so much because it had the best team, but because it suffered less from breakups through injury than any other team. This year the Phillies again look as good as any other team in the league, and with an even break of luck ought to come pretty near winning the pennant. In this connection it is not too presumptious to say that the Reds look sufficiently better than they did last season to justify the prediction that they'll give all the other teams a hard battle for the highest honors.

Jack Johnson, he of the golden smile, the speed-breaking records and the world's championship punch, is sojourning with us this week. Johnson declares that there is no sentiment in the fight game for him; that the faster they come the better he likes it, provided there is a goodly gunch of coin attached to each encounter in which he engages. The fact that he is expected to meet the Los Angeles fireman, Jim Flynn, will not prevent him taking on his latest challenger, Soldier Elder, within six weeks. A purse of $10,000 and a side bet of $25,000 are the inducements for the go with the soldier boy, who still has a reputation to make, but is vouched for by his manager, Anderson and his trainer, Fred Bogan. Johnson also is willing to take on Carl Morris, whom he does not consider seriously. Sam Langford or any of the others, provided they are properly backed. It is expected that the details of his proposed fight with Elder will be arranged before he leaves the city.

C. H. ZUBER.

Billy Doyle's Phenom Creating A Sensation

George Baumgardner, the Barboursville phenom, and the star of all the twirlers in the Mountain State league last season is making good with the St. Louis Browns right off the jump. Baumgardner, a mere youngster, after one year in professional baseball, was yanked up by "Billy" Doyle, the scout of the St. Louis American league team, being purchased from Huntington for $1600.

He reported to his team at Montgomery, Ala., a few weeks ago and has been setting the camp on fire, and the St. Louis correspondents are hailing him as "another Walter Johnson."

The following article taken from the St. Louis Post-Dispatch and written by W. J. O'Connor, a staff correspondent of that paper, tells just what they think of Baumgardner, and the article will be perused with great interest by the baseball bugs in this vicinity who will follow Baumgardner's career with much pleasant anticipation:

Montgomery, Ala., March 30. George Baumgardner is the newest sensation in the Browns' camp. George walked up the stage at yesterday's matinee, monopolized the spotlight for a full half hour and was the recipient of what was probably the most lavish praise ever heaped upon the head of a bush league pitcher. Baumgardner has been under the watchful eyes of the wiseacres here for several days. His tremendous speed, pronounced by critics Wallace, Stovall, Criger as "SECOND TO WALTER JOHNSON." He reported with his speed. He has been burning them over for several days, but, although he declares his arm in good shape, he never let loose of a curve or slow ball, therefore he was not regarded as a potent factor. He didn't have a change of pace. But Baumgardner yesterday got out from under cover. When he climbed the knoll to pitch to the regulars in batting practice he for the first time used a curve ball, a wicked bender that fooled every batter. Stovall fanned first. Then Billy Hogan took three swings and a drink. By this time the stunts began to take notice. Lou Criger went out on the diamond to watch the "hook" break. Wallace took Hallinan's turn at the bat and for the edification of the smart Alecs Baumgardner served up the most deceptive assortment of breakers ever seen on the local diamond.

It is hard to appreciate what a sensation Baumgardner caused. All the players gathered around the plate while Wallace tarried at bat. Manager Bob swung at and missed seven curves and then retired amid the herhaws of his hirelings.

After the practice Monte Cross said: "I'm willing to stake my reputation as a judge of ball players, on the prediction that Baumgardner will prove the best young pitcher in the American league this season."

"I was a little afraid at first that he did not own a change of pace. He used a side arm delivery entirely, and I feared he couldn't control a curved ball. But he showed us today. I believe he has as much speed as any man that ever lived, and now that he has shown his curved ball I want to predict that he will make good from the jump."

Wallace seconded the motion:

"He's the best looking kid I have ever had a peek at," declared the manager. And so on down the line. It was one boost after another until the very air reeked of Baumgardner bouquets.

Sudden success didn't worry the youthful pitcher. After partaking of a healthful dinner, he went to a local theatre and did a song and dance as a part of an amateur show.

Incidentally the whole squad paid real coin of the realm to see the new "Walter Johnson" pull an Evan Tanguay.

Manager Callahan has planned to hold a baseball field day at San Antonio next Thursday, with all the possible talent entering. The other squad will stage one at the same time up at Waco. All the stunts, including running bases, throwing to second and fungo hitting, will be staged, long distance throwing alone being left off the slate.

Ball Player In Shadows Calls For Billy Sunday

The following, clipped from the Wheeling News will be read with interest by all lovers of baseball, and those who are interested in the wonderful evangelist, W. A. Sunday, and his work. Sam Barkley was one of the famous old Chicago White Stockings, he and Sunday playing on the team together when the White Stockings were winning pennant after pennant in succession, and the bond of sympathy and friendship has never been severed and never will be. It was in the days of Anson and King Kelley and "Clipper" Flynn, and Al Spalding, and mighty few of these grand players are left.

"I want Bill," what could be more pathetic? Thinking death was near he did not call on the swell preacher or exhorter, but called for "Old Bill," and he very sure Bill was quick to respond. Sam, thinking he is about to be called out by the great umpire, in his extremity Sam turned to the old centerfielder, the same who backed up in many a close play when pennants were at stake. There is something very pathetic in this meeting of the two old ball players. It is a "human interest" story, with shadings sad and suggestive and hopeful:

"I want Bill. Please send for Bill. Tell him I want him."

From the room in which the death angel stalked about, a woman emanated and was soon in conversation with members of the Sunday party. Up in Wellsburg Rev. Sunday was fast asleep, worn out by a strenuous sermon he preached Monday.

All night long Sam Barkley, old professional ball player, who went into many games in the majors with Bill, tossed about on what is believed to be his death bed and in rational moments and while in delirium kept pleading for Bill.

As soon as it was possible to communicate with Billy he hurried to this city and went to the home of Sam Barkley on the Island, and this morning spent several hours with his old pal and friend.

It was a vastly different meeting this morning from the one four weeks ago, when Rev. and Mrs. Sunday visited the Barkley home and found the old major leaguer in the best of health.

When Billy entered the room, hope anew sprang in Barkley's eyes, his strength returned for several minutes and by painful effort he raised himself and grasped the evangelist's hand.

He requested that a prayer meeting be held there and Rev. Jacob Brittingham of the Island Episcopal church, and several other friends who were present conducted a prayer meeting.

With his arms around Barkley's shoulders Billy talked with him for an hour and then prayed with him. Where it was the discussion of old times and the glory of the days in the eighties, this morning it was the future and the glory in the last great slide for home under the eyes of the Great Umpire.

At the end of the meeting Barkley accepted Jesus Christ as his personal saviour and asked Billy to tell all the boys of his conviction and stand. He also beseeches them to turn to Jesus Christ and go to bat for him. Rev. Brittingham will baptize and confirm the old baseball player.

A few days ago Barkley was injured and no hope is entertained for his recovery. In his illness another of Rev. Sunday's philanthropies has come to light as Rev. Sunday has engaged the best physicians in Wheeling to attend his old friend.

LINE-UP OF THE BABES

Chillicothe, O., March 30.—President Siberell today gave out a list of the ball players who have either been signed, or told to come on for a try-out with the local club:

Outfielders—Phil Cherry, Columbus; Frank McDonald, Bradford; J. C. Anderson, Columbus; Ray Brown, Paris, Ky.; Albert Britzel, Celina; E. J. Ross, Cambridge; C. F. Ullman, Peoria, Ill. The last named was formerly in the New York State league and last year with Canton, Ill., in the Illinois and Missouri league. He bought his own release and was recommended by Umpire Raphun.

Shortstops—J. T. Fibler, Chestertown, Md.; Fred A. Schutler, New Bavaria.

First Base—Harry McCall, Leesburg; Clark Cottrill, address unknown.

Second Base—Wallace Davis, Union City, Ind.; Cyril Manier, Versailles, O.

Third Base—Orlando Keller, Chillicothe; Willis Bosworth, Bremen, O.

Catchers—Raymond Ryan, Cincinnati, Mar.; Willard Stewart, Nelsonville; Roy C. Eselstein, Irish, Chester; Jack Ketchell, Columbus.

Pitchers—B. D. Beebe, Ft. Atkinson, Wis.; Charles La Follette, Crawfordsville, Ind.; D. J. Ranklin, Coalton; John Potter, Zaleski; J. M. Waldren, Morgantown; Frank Caldwell, Waverly; Frank Schreiber; Alfred Becker, Cincinnati; C. M. McCauley, Emmington, O.; Edward Evans, Cliff, Ky.; R. F. Nessler, Piketon; Assistant Mgr. Jacob Warner.

Ball Players Visited Selby Shoe Plant

Members of the local ball club took advantage of the rainy weather Friday to go through the Selby shoe factory. Many of them had never stepped inside of a factory of this character and magnitude and they enjoyed the treat. They were shown through the various rooms and this and that machine was explained explicitly by Mr. Marquette, who piloted the ball tossers through the factory.

When the fitting room was reached John Weinberg became bewildered by the sea of feminine faces. "Nix on real team of the Ohio State league. this room for mine," chortled Weiny and the gang backed him up as the girls were denied the privilege of glimpsing at the ball players in their street garb. It was a great sight to them to see how neatly and quickly a pair of shoes can be turned out and they enjoyed it.

The optimistic Barney Dreyfuss has been smiling ever since Pittsburg cut Bemis in exchange for Campbell. Barney thinks he put one over on Messrs. Ward and Gaffney. But the Boston magnates say "Wait."

Ragsdale Is Traded

Manager Kelley of the Fort Wayne club has traded Catcher Ragsdale and outfielder Rube Deiroff to the Lowell team of the New England league for Catcher Huston.

Ragsdale formerly caught for the lo-

Better Buy Season Book

It is now thought that the season books will go on sale Monday morning. The books have arrived and the baseball fans of this city will no doubt respond liberally. The books are of two denomination, $25.00 and $10.00. The former will entitle the holder or any of his friends to admission to every one of the 50 games scheduled at Millbrook park. This book is transferable and can be used by anyone. The $25.00 book entitles the purchaser to $35.00 worth of baseball, while the $10.00 book is worth $10.50 in games. The club owners hope to dispose of many books. It will mean that there will be considerable money in the strong box when the season opens, thereby insuring the fans of an up fight team for the entire season.

O'Day Defends His Name

Springfield, O., March 30. "I've been in professional sports for years, and this is the first time an attempt ever was made to deny me my birthright," said Manager Hank O'Day of the Harvesters, last evening, in reference to an article which appeared in a St. Louis paper that his name was Day and not O'Day.

"I am not a four-flusher or a criminal, that I would have to change my name," continued the Harvester pilot and he proceeded to tell his pedigree when he was asked about the piece by a fan. "My father was a Mick like the Irish from the old sod, but my mother is French. I look like her.

"I rode the ponies for four years and have played baseball for 12 years, but never before was an attempt made to say that I was not Irish and had annexed the 'O' in my name."

BASEBALL

Bill Dahlen says he has a powerful staff of pitchers with Rucker, Ragon, Stack, Knetzer, Ragan, Schardt and Allen to depend upon.

"Forget the world's series last fall," is McGraw's advice to the Giants, "and win another pennant. Maybe next time we can put the rollers under the American league champions."

Jack Powell of the Browns, in spite of the fact that he weighed 225 pounds when he reported for duty, says he has no doubt as to his ability to pitch as well as ever.

Wilbert Robinson, the Giants' coach, who is teaching Rube Marquard how to control his phenomenal speed, thinks the southpaw will be steadier this year.

Hero From Manchester.

John Roach, a Manchester farmer, arrived here Friday for a brief visit to his friend, Paul McNally, of the wholesale liquor firm of Crummel & McNally.

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Frank Freshour Killed In Automobile Accident

Frank Freshour, 28, succumbed at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon to injuries received in an auto accident which occurred on Third street near the Maddox home, about 8 o'clock Friday night.

The victim of the distressful accident was a member of the firm of Freshour Bros., commission merchants and grocers, doing business at 528 Gallia street. Last night he started out unaccompanied with the auto truck to make a delivery, and getting lost in the darkness, ran into a small ravine and then crashed into some trees. The impact threw the man onto the steering wheel and when found he was unconscious. He was removed to the home of his mother on Gallia street, where Dr. Allard rendered medical aid and the man later revived, and it was not believed that he had been seriously hurt. Early Saturday he began to sink rapidly, and it was then that an examination disclosed that Freshour had been internally injured and that there was no hope for his recovery. The patient grew worse from hour to hour, and finally breathed his last this afternoon.

The victim of the deplorable accident is survived by his mother, Mrs. Sarah M. Freshour, two brothers, Carey E. and Philip R., and a sister, Miss Blanche, and they were all associated in the business, which appeared to be prospering. The death of the young man was a great shock to them as well as to his legion of friends about town.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral, although it is likely it may be held on Sunday afternoon.

Socialist Paper Not to Suspend

Various papers, The Times included, published last week a telegraphic item to the effect, that the Appeal to Reason, the great organ of Socialism, was to suspend publication.

Local Socialists say the report was spread abroad to injure the paper, that there is no purpose whatsoever to discontinue it and never was it in such a prosperous condition as right now, and never so promising of long life. This information comes direct from the publishers of the Appeal.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

To Build New Story

J. A. Ansler & Son, contracting carpenters, have taken the contract to erect another story on the dwelling of John Gray, of Ninth street. The work on the houses at Second and Bond streets, which is being done by the Ousler firm, is progressing fine.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Woman Quite Sick.

Mrs. Earl Henson, wife of a colored porter employed with Adolph Hurth, is reported dangerously ill at their home in the North End.

SOCIETY

Miss Mary Reutinger's class of the First Presbyterian church met in social session yesterday afternoon at the residence of Miss Elizabeth Schuler, on West Front street. After the usual sewing the hostess served dainty refreshments. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Miss Violet Clark, of West Second street.

Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Baumann will go to Cincinnati, Monday, to see the great missionary exposition.

Mr. Charles Turley will arrive home from Cornell University the latter part of next week, and his sister, Miss Nell, will come from the Laurel School in Cleveland, to spend the Easter vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie C. Turley, of East Second street.

Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Magee have returned from Cincinnati, where they enjoyed seeing "The World."

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Captain J. P. Kelley, of Pulaski, Va., arrived in this city yesterday, to see his daughter, Mrs. J. Q. Payne, of East Eleventh street, who has been seriously ill for several days, as the result of an operation, performed several days ago. Mrs. Payne was reported as improving today.

Miss Lucy Jeffords, of the Excelsior office, resigned her position today.

Mrs. Lucy Taylor and son, Benton, of Greenup, Ky., are the guests of Miss Dode Jeffers, of West Sixth street.

Miss Dode Jeffers, of West Sixth street, returned last evening from a visit with friends in Ashland, Ky.

The W. E. D. Club will meet this evening with Misses Marie and Irma Bauer, at their residence on East Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shump, of Grandview avenue, have as guests, Miss Cynthia C. Malone, of Tacoma, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder and son, Wayne, of Lucasville.

A delightful party was given Friday evening at the home of Miss Mary Billings, when she entertained a number of her young friends in a most pleasant manner. All kinds of games and music was indulged in, and at a suitable hour delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Eliza Billings, Hortense Billings, Beecher Heid, Lucile Bush, Mary Billings, C. Merritt, Daisy Milhorn and Robert Bumgartner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heinisch, who have been living in Harvard Place, moved Saturday to Mr. Heinisch's new home on Clay St.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dowling and winsome little daughters, Helen and Dorothy, returned Saturday from Cincinnati where they attended "The World."

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Grimes, Mrs. Homer Butz and daughter, Mildred, have returned from Mineral Springs, where they spent a week with A. N. and Homer Butz.

The degree staff of White Lilly Council of the Daughters of America will go to Ironton on the evening train tonight to take part in the initiation of several candidates in the order there.

Thirty or more members of the local order will make the trip and will return to Portsmouth early Sunday morning. A banquet will be given in their honor after the business session tonight.

Quite a number of Sciotoville ladies were in the city shopping Saturday. They were Mrs. E. E. Hacquard and sister, Mrs. Lester Finney, Mrs. F. M. Stewart and daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Allard; Mrs. Theodore Shump and daughter, Mrs. John Hutchins, Mrs. J. K. Hastings and daughter, Mrs. Florence Bell, Mrs. Hasseaman and Miss Elva and Bess Todd.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Margaret Eugene is the name given to the pretty little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Seherer of Summit street.

Mr. and Mrs Thomas Hartman of Lucasville spent Saturday with Mr. Hartman's mother at Wheelersburg.

Frank Kendall and wife are enjoying their surroundings at Boynton, Florida, to such an extent that they have decided to remain there three weeks longer.

Mrs. A. Linzilla of Cincinnati, returned home Saturday at the end of a delightful visit with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Trigg of East Third street.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mr. Mark W. Selby left Saturday for Upper Sandusky, O., to spend Sunday with his wife and daughter, Christine, who are visiting Mrs. Selby's parents.

Mrs. Frank Graf, who five weeks ago was operated upon in the Good Samaritan Hospital in Cincinnati, is now able to walk a little each day. She hopes to be able to return home some time next week.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Selby who have been sojourning in California for the past three weeks will leave Monday for New Orleans, where they will remain a week before starting home. They may return by way of New York.

The New Century Club held one of their unusually interesting and instructive meetings yesterday afternoon, in the club parlors, when the following program was rendered:

Music by Club.
Roll Call—Important events of the Past Year.
"The Public Schools a Public Welfare Center." Mrs. Everard; read by Mrs. George Small.
Duet—Mrs. Webb and Miss Little.
"The Awakened Public Conscience." Mrs. Wait.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Grimes.
Current Events—Mrs. Patterson.
Address Judge James.

The address of Judge James on the relations of the schools to the perpetuity of the nation aroused the deepest interest among those who had the pleasure of being in the audience yesterday afternoon.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mrs. Philip Reinoehl entertained a number of friends last evening with a supper party, in honor of the forty-fifth birthday anniversary of Mr. Reinoehl, who is one of the city's popular mail carriers. In readiness for the occasion, the interior of the home was beautifully decorated with ferns and flowers, and the banquet table, laden with the season's delicacies, was adorned in fragrant hyacinths. The birthday cake, adorned with forty-five red candles, formed the centerpiece. Those who were present to congratulate Mr. Reinoehl on this enjoyable occasion were: Mrs. Lizzie McFann, Miss Lucy Reinoehl, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Minford and daughters, Gertrude, Ade and Kathleen, Mr. John Neary, of Wellston, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. White, Mrs. John Stockham, Miss Mary E. Porter, Dr. and Mrs. Steitz and son, Howard, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bennett and daughter, Stella, Miss Katie Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawe and daughter, Ida, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stockham, Rev. and Mrs. George Brandau, Mrs. John Clutts, of Wheelersburg, Mr. David Kellner, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Sampson and daughters, Ada and Lola, and Harry and Blanche Bradbury.

Mrs. Annie Bodmer and two sons, Arthur and Gerald, of East Sixth street, are visiting with relatives on Carey's Run.

The spring vacation during the past week, has been an excuse for many delightful afternoon parties among the children, and none were more charmingly arranged than the birthday party this afternoon with Mrs. Bertha Sowers. Wheeler's little daughter, Fern Curry, as the delightful little hostess, who entertained twelve little friends in celebration of her twelfth birthday anniversary. The many games and a "dress-making" contest, for which a prize was given, and music, arranged for the pleasure of the young folk, helped to pass the afternoon most enjoyably. The dainty repast was served in the dining room, where Easter decorations were in evidence, tiny Easter chicks, perched on each plate, supplying the souvenirs. Also at each cover was a small birthday cake, with one red candle, and the large birthday cake, aglow with twelve red candles, formed the centerpiece. Surrounding the table were the following merry young folks: Carrie Elizabeth Pfarr, Muriel Turner, Mary Alice Shoots, Hortence Brawley, Flossie Mills, Helen Dupre, Thelma and Edna Turner, Dorothy Eck, Ruth Patton, Ruth Fairtrace, Florence Irwin and the little hostess.

Dr. F. H. Williams returned from Ironton Friday night. He was accompanied by Mrs. Anna Newman and daughters, the Misses Elizabeth and Florian Newman, mother and sisters of the late Mrs. Williams, who will remain here until the Doctor decides as to his future plans.

The Tourist Club will meet on Tuesday evening with Miss Lula Dawson, of Jackson avenue.

Mrs. Roy Pennywitt, of Charleston, W. Va., will arrive in the near future to be the guest of Mrs. Alfred Richardson, of East Fourth street, and to attend the Elks' Easter hop.

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When a woman like Mrs. Von Roden is generous enough to write such a letter as the above for publication, she should at least be given credit for a sincere desire to help other suffering women.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

TOLEDO CLUB IS TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY

There will be a game of baseball, a real game in Millbrook Park Sunday afternoon. Is there any surer harbinger of gentle spring?

The Portsmouth League team will have as its opponents the strong Toledo American Association team. The Mud Hens, 44 strong, will arrive here late tonight from their training camp at Lexington, Ky. The team comes for a four days' stay—Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Now, Mr. Fan, you will have a fine opportunity of looking over the players, who will represent the River City in the Ohio State League this year.

Go out and watch Weiny shoot 'em down to second, Edwards scoop 'em up at first and the celebrated Cain trio in action. These games are going to be real diamond battles.

Manager Childs will use three recruits in the game tomorrow and Manager Hartsel will trot out three of his young pitchers.

Play will begin at 2:30, and Buck Yeager will umpire the game. Fine weather is promised and 1,000 fans should turn out.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Girl Was Scalded

Rosina, eldest child of Pius Frederick, meat dealer, was badly scalded by her mother spilling a cup of hot coffee over her Friday evening. Mrs. Frederick was waiting on her father, August Maier, when he unexpectedly arose from his chair at the table, bumping against her hand and upsetting the cup. The little girl was scalded about the top of the head, ear and arm.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

HAMMER AND PAINT

J. W. Jordan, the East Eleventh street grocer, has begun the construction of a seven-room house on Baird avenue.

The foundation is in for the cottage house to be erected for Dr. A. G. Sellards, at the corner of Fourth and Bond streets.

Architects Devoss and Patterson will open bids Monday for the construction of the new livery stable Al Windle will erect on West Third street. A number of local contractors have submitted bids.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

RICKEY BROKE HIS LEG

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 30.—Branch Rickey, Michigan coach, who was struck just below the knee by a batted ball during practice in the cage the other day, is on crutches. The crack broke a leg bone.

Had Hurry Call.

Police received a hurry call to Seventh and Broadway late Saturday. A man named Hughes was reported throwing brickbats at residents of the neighborhood.

Will Return To Waverly.

Thomas Hutt has resigned his position in the yard office at the N. & W. terminals, and will likely return to his home in Waverly.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Sabina Creamer left this morning for Kentucky, where she will be with her sick sister, Mrs. Nancy Sheets, and also her sick brother, Mr. James Logan. They are both very low.

Mrs. Bertha Alston, who has been ill, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Charles Jeffords, of West Sixth street, who has been ill with neuralgia of the heart, is resting easier today.

J. J. Lloyd, of Vine street, New Boston, who has been ill with stomach trouble for three weeks, is improving.

Frank Ford, 537 Twentieth St., who has been quite ill for the past few weeks suffering with bronchitis, is improving rapidly and hopes to be out within the next few days.

Harry, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Copper of Front St., is improving from a four weeks' illness with pneumonia fever.

Frank Cramer expects to resume his duties at B. & O. S-W. yardmaster, Monday, after a month's lay off, due to a severe case of pneumonia and pleurisy.

Wilbur Paston, of the C. & O. ferry crew, and wife, both of whom have been very ill at their home in South Portsmouth with pneumonia, are now reported recovering.

Mrs. Adolph Hurth, Jr., has been suffering with a sever cold at her home on Gay street for the past few days and is now threatened with pneumonia.

OBITUARY

Prof. Leon

A dispatch from Mansfield, O., tells of the death Friday of Jesse Albert St. John, better known as Prof. Leon, who has visited Portsmouth on many occasions. Prof. Leon was an old time tightrope walker and performed many daring feats during his long career. His death was directly due to injuries he sustained in a fall last December upon his return from his annual season on the road.

Compliment

William Compliment, 74, died at his home in Ironton, Friday from the effects of a stroke of paralysis which he sustained six years ago. He is survived by his wife and four sons and two daughters. Mr. Compliment also leaves many relatives in this city.

ROUND HOUSE IS ASSURED

A B. & O. S-W. official who was here from Baltimore Friday announced that the recommendations for a new round house in Portsmouth had been favorably acted upon. The new building will be much larger than the present one. Other improvements have been delayed owing to officials being occupied with the wage question.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Will Filed.

The will of Henry Tieman, deceased, late of the West Side, was filed for probate Saturday.

At Brunner's.

Roy Ward has taken a position as deliveryman for Brunner's dry goods store.

Carl N. Hansen, furniture dealer, who has been wrestling with an attack of la grippe for several days, was forced to take to his bed Saturday.

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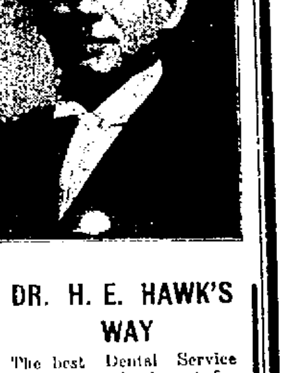

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"The Girl of My Dreams," April 5.
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Howe's Pictures, April 26-27.
"The Red Rose," April 23.

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VAUDEVILLE.

Everything new in the vaudeville field will be seen at the Sun theatre. Bills changed every Monday and Thursday.

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PICTORIAL THEATRES.

Right up-to-the-minute films are shown daily at the Columbia, Orpheum, Arcana, Star and Lyric theaters.

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WILL P. MINEGO
(Theatrical Editor.)

In the search for old plays whereon to construct musical comedy, all managers but one have overlooked that venerable drama, "Uncle Tom's Cabin." The one who has discovered in Mrs. Stowe's famous story the basis of a musical work is Nelson Roberts, and he has progressed so far in working out his idea that a production late in the spring seems to be certain.

Sacrilege or not, Mr. Roberts has not hesitated to tamper more or less brutally with the Uncle Tom of our childhood days. In fact, in the proposed musical version Tom will be a comparatively minor character, and, despite the temptation to introduce a ragtime number, Tom will be acted without song.

Joseph Frederick is the cruel librettist engaged upon the task of converting the old story of slavery days into three acts of a musical play. Arthur Pryor is at work upon the score. The production will take place in Chicago during June.

The first act of the musical version will be laid in old Tom's cabin. The second act shows Shelby's house in Ohio, through the window of which Eliza is seen fleeing over the ice. The first scene of the third act is laid on the deck of a Mississippi steamboat, and the final scene reveals a plantation.

Little Eva also becomes subdued in the new version—an improvement for which most of the "Uncle Tom" sufferers will be truly grateful. The principal singing parts will be Legree, Eliza and Harris, and the love story revolves around the two latter characters.

Mr. Roberts intends to make the production something of a spectacle, and in the final scene will introduce a Creole ballet.

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What do you suppose Mr. George Cohan paid Mr. George Randolph Chester for the rights to "Get Rich Quick Wallingford" for dramatic purposes? Many thousands? Not much. Mr. Chester was a little shy on coin when Mr. Cohan approached him about disposing of the rights of the famous story and the actor and producer and the writer of fiction were not long in coming to terms. Mr. Chester willingly accepted $6,000 spot cash for the manuscript. Mr. Cohan turned around, and whipped the material into one of the best and most absorbing plays of the past decade. What was the result? It netted him over $200,000 and four companies are still presenting the piece to capacity audiences. It was a case of catching a fellow with an empty purse. Mr. Chester's latest story, "Five Thousand An Hour," will be put into dramatic form next season, but Mr. Cohan will not get it for the paltry sum of $4,000. Not by any means.

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Raymond Hitchcock, now playing in "The Red Widow," once aspired to be a matinee idol. It begins this way. Several years ago a New York newspaper of a somewhat sensational character asked subscribers to vote for the actor, who in the reader's estimation had the best claim to the title of the most popular matinee idol on the American stage.

"Although I occasionally glanced over the list of familiar names," said Hitchcock recently, "the whole thing appeared to me to be very foolish and very undignified until one day, after reading John Drew, 971 votes; E. H. Sothern, 956; Robert Edeson, 847; James K. Hackett, 741, I saw at the bottom of the list, 'Raymond Hitchcock, 1.' At first I laughed and thought it a good joke. But as time went on I found my mind reverting more and more frequently to the published list. It was the first time that I had ever considered myself a possible matinee idol, and the more I thought of it the less absurd the idea appeared.

"It became a fascination each morning in watching the fluctuations of sentiment, as one actor after another gained and then lost the first place in this mighty struggle that had totally eclipsed all other subjects of national interest, and then to find at the end that there was really one person who really know a really good thing and had the courage of her convictions. Day after day I read with pride, 'Raymond Hitchcock, 1.'

"Never mind how the contest ended; I really have forgotten who won the prize. But the memory of the discerning, discriminating unknown person somewhere in this big country of ours, who looked upon me as an ideal of manly beauty and the typical lover, was the foundation of the ambition of which the public will now know.

"After glancing idly over the paper one morning I came across a rather startling advertisement containing a line a faces, each having some glaring defect. There were noses that turned up, noses that turned down, sagging cheeks, double chins, flaring ears, and every known variety of blemishes of the complexion. Under each picture was an announcemnt of the time required to correct each irregularity and also a statement of the amount of money such operation would cose.

"Imagine my joy to learn that I could have a 'baggy chin' taken in immediately for the trifling sum of $100, while a frowning brow could be 'corrected' in from thirty to fifty minutes, probably depending on the frown, at a cost varying from $100 to $150. And a crooked mouth made straight for $200!

"After reading the entire list I found, by rough calculation, that I could have my face made really beautiful in four hours for the paltry sum of $350, and I made up my mind to go under the operation in appreciation of the good taste and the wonderful powers of discernment of my unknown admirer.

"I jotted down the address of the man who was to make me the envy of Drew, Edeson, Hackett and the rest of the stage idols. But alas for my dreams of beauty. That very day one of the most prominent managers made me an offer that almost took my breath away.

"'You see, Mr. Hitchcock,' said the manager, 'we really must have you. While you are undoubtedly a good coemidan, your face is your fortune. It is so funny.'

"And that is why I tore up the address of the beauty doctor and resigned myself to being just a comedian. But I experienced a pang of shame that a little thing like earning my daily bread should stand in the way of my rising to that lofty pinnacle on which that unknown voter had done her best to place me."

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* WHERE THEY ARE THIS EVENING. *
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Harry Bulger in "The Flirting Princess," Niagara Falls.

Margaret Anglin, in "Green Stockings," La Crosse, Wis.

"Get Rich Quick Wallingford," Duluth.

Montgomery and Stone in "The Old Town," Brooklyn.

"The Gamblers," Davenport, Iowa.

Helen Ware in "The Price," Kansas City.

Al. G. Field in Hannibal, Mo.

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"Ready Money," a new comedy drama by James Montgomery, was produced in St. Louis this week and it has all the elements of a genuine success.

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* FOYERETTES. *
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The only new show put on in New York this week was "The Man From Cook's." Many of the critics panned it.

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Henry Miller has scored a genuine hit in "The Rainbow." It will be a long time before its flaming colors will be seen outside of the Metropolis.

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Bertha Kalich is back in New York looking for a suitable play. In the meantime she is pulling down $1,650 per week in vaudeville. We wouldn't need the services of an oculist if we were getting this sum.

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"Wine, Women and Song." What a combination! This opera would have been booked for the Grand had not the date the manager wanted been given to Dainty Mae Laporte.

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"The Chanteeler" is a failure in Chicago. Maude Adams is going to pack her trunk and beat it, move on, scamper, duck. Vamoose as it were.

FRANK METCALFE

The new singer at the Columbia, who succeeds Mr. Al Ertz, who winds up a very successful engagement at this theatre tonight. Mr. Ertz leaves Sunday for Richmond, Ind., where he and his partner, Mr. Harry Frankel, will fill a short engagement before going to Lexington, Ky. Late in May Messrs. Ertz and Frankel will come to Portsmouth to remain indefinitely at the Grand. Genial Al has made a host of friends here by his splendid singing and his ingratiating ways. Mr. Metcalfe, his successor, comes recommended as one of the best singers in Cincinnati.

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* SAME DIFFERENCE IN THIS COUNTRY. *
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At a little dinner party the other night Charlotte De Orrin, better known to the vaudeville world as "Buster," sat at the left of an Englishman who has not been long enough in this country to catch onto its slang. The question of this "Kid Burns" line of talk came up for discussion and he became enthusiastic.

"A most peculiar way your people have of expressing yourselves ovah heah," he observed to Miss De Orrin. "So many phrases you use, don'tchaknow, are absolutely without meaning. One expression in particular I notice you use a great deal. You say, 'I've gotcha, Steve!' Now what's the sense of forming a sentence in that sort of way! In England we would say, 'I have you, Mr. Stevenson.'"

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James T. Powers in "Two Little Brides," with music by Gustave Kerker and book by Arthur Anderson and Mr. Powers began his season in Providence last evening. It will play Buffalo, Cleveland, Detroit, Cincinnati, Pittsburg and Baltimore, and then open on Broadway for a summer run. His supporting company includes Frances Cameron, Grace Kennicott, Helene Salinger, Lydia Meredith, Walter Lawrence, Arthur Clough, Gilbert Clayton, E. H. Kelley, George E. Mauner, Louis London and S. E. Erick.

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* MISS MANNERING HAS QUIT ROAD *
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Detroit, Mich., March 30.—Miss Mary Mannering returned to her home at Grosse Point yesterday from New York, and made the statement that she had not retired from the stage for good, but had left "The Garden of Allah" company because she did not care to go in the road.

Miss Mannering also stated that in the future she will only play in New York, and that under no circumstances would she ever again go on tour. She will also stipulate that the play give her an opportunity as an actress, and not simply as Miss Mannering.

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"Adelaide," translated and adapted from the German by David Bispham, staged under the direction of David Bispham, scenery designed by David Bispham, incidental music by Beethoven and words by David Bispham; stage manager, David Bispham. This, in a general way, will be the reading matter on the program of the first play which is designed to introduce to the theatrical world David Bispham, tragedian. The play will be produced at the studio or new assembly hall of Mme. [illegible] at 53 West Forty-fourth street, in New York.

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Marlowe and Sothern will soon play their annual engagement in Cincinnati at the Lyric theatre. They are prime favorites in the Queen City and always play to tremendous receipts.

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Richard Carle has been taking a number of dates in Canada and "Jumping Jupiter" has played to profitable returns. There is [illegible] about it, but it is amusing and entertaining.

MR. JOHN HYAMS AND MISS LELIA McINTYRE
Who are being co-stared in "The Girl of My Dreams", which comes to the Grand, Friday April 5. Seats ready Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

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* WE WONDER WHY— *

It is the critics a short time ago wanted to kill off Fay Templeton, and now we hear she is to be starred in her own company next season.

Show girls always dress so ostentatiously. It seems to go with the profession, loud colors, loud talk and hot air.

There is never a shortage in the crop of stage door Johnnies, chorus girls' angels. No matter how dark the night, they can be found waiting patiently at the stage door.

Playgoers insist on calling Eva Tanguay a star. She is a freak.
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* BACK TO DEAR OLD PHILADELPHIA. *
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Raymond Hitchcock scored a tremendous hit in Philadelphia this week in "The Red Widow." It was in this old Quaker City that Hitchcock was pushed out of the flies, so to speak. It was there he made his stage debut. Naturally he has a warm spot in his heart for Philly. Prior to his stage debut Hitchcock was fitting shoes in a Utica store for $12 per. Now his earnings run into the thousands. To many he is the funniest comedian on the stage. To others his drollery, dry, inactive methods are tiresome.

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Jesse L. Laskey is to produce a vaudeville playlet by William C. de Mille, called "Fifty Years from Now," with Florence Rockwell in the leading role.

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* SAW BROTHER IN THE PICTURE. *
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Greeley, Colo., March 30.—Believing that he recognized his brother, whom he had not seen for nearly twenty years, in a motion picture show at a local theatre recently, James B. McCormick, of Evanston, Ill., has sent telegrams East in an effort to discover if his surmise is correct.

He was sitting in the theatre when the picture was thrown on the screen, and exclaimed, "That is my brother."

The brother took the part of a cowboy in the drama, and his face was exceptionally clear, according to his brother.

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Frank McIntyre, for some time past has been receiving communications from a young woman of the South, who assured him that she had written a play that was just the thing for him.

While in her neighborhood recently he consented to an interview, but the moment she entered his gorgeous presence she lost confidence.

"My goodness, Mr. McIntyre!" she exclaimed, "my play would never fit you, because in the big scene the leading woman carries you out of a burning building, and I [illegible] this. [illegible] play."

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A. H. Woods has selected a musical play entitled, "The Cabaret Girl," as the [illegible] of the lot, and will make it his most important production of next season. "The Cabaret Girl" is of foreign extraction.

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* HAS NABBED HER FOURTH HUSBAND. *
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Laura Nelson Hall was married in London Thursday to Charles Wilbur Williams, it being her fourth matrimonial venture. Miss Hall's second husband was Ned Howard Fowler, who committed suicide in Columbus. It will be recalled that Fowler committed suicide in a dramatic manner, while a member of the famous Empire Stock Company of Columbus. After seeing his wife out automobiling with a prominent citizen of Columbus, it is said that Fowler went to his apartments, calmly stood before a mirror and sent a bullet crashing through his brain, his death being instantaneous. Miss Hall was until recently featured in "Everywoman," which had a profitable engagement of much length in New York.

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Julian Eltinge, featured in "The Fascinating Widow," is going to be idle in a theatrical way Holy Week. He is going to jump from St. Louis to New York to look over a new theatre in which he has invested his earnings of the past eight years. He is the principal stockholder in the play house that will represent an expenditure of $600,000 when completed.

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* PICTURE MEN ON THE GROUND. *
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The last chapter of a great tragedy ended last Saturday, when the hulk of the great sea-fighter the Maine, was laid to rest under six hundred fathoms of water a few miles outside Havana Harbor. Now comes the announcement that the event was caught by a number of picture firms and we are to see the stirring scenes attending this solemn occasion in the moving picture houses.

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The New York Telegraph says: "Corse Payton consummated a deal with George W. Rife in which he is to take possession of the Empire, Philadelphia, during the Spring and Summer months, beginning with the week of April 22 with his stock company in repertoire."

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The story of Cinderella in pictorial form will be shown at the Grand next Monday and Tuesday. That distinguished little actress Mabel Taliaferro will be featured in the film, which is said to be one of the best released within the past month.

LELIA McINTYRE
Who is being prominently featured in that dainty refined opera, "The Girl of My Dreams"

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* FIGURE IT OUT. *
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For the credit man: "Bought and Pair For."

For the milliner: "Bird of Paradise."

For the suffragette: "Everywoman."

For the taxidermist: "Butterfly on the Wheel."

For the fond mother: "Little Boy Blue."

For the newspaper writer: "The Truth Wagon."

For the nature lover: "The Winter Garden."

For the star-gazer: "Weber and Fields."

For the base-stealer: "Sumurun."

For the harp player: "Bunty Pulls the Strings."

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Mary Nash is to be featured next season in a new play by David Belasco.

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"The Snare," a new play by Edwin Milton Royle, will be produced by the Liebler company, with Amelia Gardner as the heroine.

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Graham Moffat, the author of "Bunty Pulls the Strings," has just arrived in this country with the manuscript of his "A Scrape o' th' Pen."

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Channing Pollock and Charles Hanson Towne have written a playlet called "The Impulse of the Moment."

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George Sidney's season in "Busy Izzy" will come to an end in Richmond, Va., on May 18, after a tour that has taken him to the Pacific Coast. His vacation will be a brief one, for on August 1 in Chicago he begins another tour of forty-two weeks in the same play.

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Holbrook Blinn is to be seen in Paul Armstrong's play, "A Romance of the Underworld," elaborated from a one-act play.

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Mr. Earl Barr, singer at the Lyric theatre, will spend Sunday with relatives in Cincinnati.

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Here are a few of the latest popular hits in New York: "Honey Girl," "Rolling Stone," "Trolley Car Swing," "That's the Kind of a Fellow I Could Love," "The Harbor of Love," "The Hyacinth Rag" and "Honeymoon Rag."

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William H. Crane will present "The Senator Keep's House" in Cleveland next week. This actor first came into prominence in "David Harum," a play that everybody has seen and enjoyed.

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"The Chocolate Soldier" will be in Cincinnati next week and it will be its third visit there. It is a great favorite in the Queen City and its attractive, sweet-sounding melodies will attract as of yore.

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In a theatrical way Columbus fared exceedingly well this week, having the following high-class attractions: "Everywoman," "The Fortune Hunter," Fritzi Scheff, "Silver Threads," Mary Emerson and "Let George Do It."

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Edward Peple is writing a play of the South before the war, in which Percy Haswell will star.

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Martin Beck, head of the Orpheum Circuit, who has heretofore devoted his theatrical efforts to vaudeville, has entered a new field and will produce a three-act play, having secured The Glass House, by Louis Anspacher. Rehearsals are in progress and the play will be produced at the Empire Theatre, Syracuse, on April 1.

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"Robin Hood" is to be revived this spring with an all-star cast. Reginald De Koven is now working on the scheme and it is reported that either the New Amsterdam, Liberty or Criterion theater in New York City will shelter the production.

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* CYRIL SCOTT IN NEW PLAY. *
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New York, March 30.—William A. Brady is to present at Easter time a double bill with a company headed by Cyril Scott. The principal feature of this program will be "The Best People," a comedy in three acts, by Frederick Lonsdale and Frank Curzon, to be followed by a briefer play, "The Gods of the Mountain," written by Lord Dunsany, with a musical score by Norman O'Neill. Both works have been successfully produced in London, where Mr. Brady saw the original productions.

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Mr. Edwin Gableman, dramatic editor of the Lima Times Democrat, Saturday voluntarily sent the following message to The Times:

"You can't boost 'The Girl of My Dreams' too much. Was here last night and was easily the best musical comic opera of the season and we have had nearly all the big ones."

This splendid opera comes to the Grand Friday, April 5.

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* COMPANY SAILS FOR LONDON. *
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Seventy strong "The Pink Lady" company that is to open in London on April 12, sailed Friday from New York. The principals and chorus lassies received enough violets to fill a corn wagon. Up to the very minute the boat pulled out messengers of all descriptions fairly crowded the gang plank, their arms being laden with flowers, candies and that good old sparkling "pop stuff." Some call it wealthy water, as only the plutocrats can guzzle it.

Each member of the company was provided with a sun cabin, and it is said no show company ever traveled so luxuriantly as this one.

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"The Girl of My Dreams" company comes here from Louisville and goes to Huntington and then into Charleston and Wheeling. It is one of the big moneymakers of the season.

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Eva Tanguay, our old friend Eva, sang a new song in Philadelphia, "They Say I'm Crazy." Those who have heard it say there isn't any question but what she is. But my, how Eva is raking in the coinlet.

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One of Reginald De Koven's plaints against the Messrs. Shubert in his damage suit is that they presented his opera, "The Wedding Trip," in Schenectady, N. Y., with only a piano accompaniment.

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"Excuse Me," a farce comedy on wheels, rolled its way into a highly profitable week at the Grand in Cincinnati this week. The scenes are laid in a Pullman car and the various types that are usually found in one of these luxurious cars are faithfully portrayed in Rupert Hughes' "carnival of fun" in a Pullman.

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The Schuberts have made arrangements by cable for Charles Hawtrey, the distinguished English actor-manager, to play a special spring engagement of four weeks only in New York City at one of their theatres. "Dear Old Charlie," the piece in which Mr. Hawtrey is now starring in London at the Prince of Wale's Theatre, will be his vehicle.

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"The Terrible Meek" is stirring up a wonderful lot of criticism in New York. Many critics have reviewed it sarcastically, claiming that it is a travesty on the Crucifixion. On Monday every minister in New York has been invited to attend the play.

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Martin Beck, the vaudeville king, is to produce Louis Anspacher's play, "The Glass House," with Edwin Arden, Frank Mills, Sydney Herbert, Tim Murphy, Katherine Kaelred, Kathryn Kidder (Mrs. Anspacher) and others. The premier will be in Syracuse, April 4, and the play will be taken to New York.

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John Mason has agreed to be presented beneath the Charles Frohman banner, and his first appearance as a Frohman star will be in Henry Bernstein's new play, "The Attack."

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Cosmo Hamilton is the author of a new piece, "Plain Brown," just acquired by Mr. Frohman, whose losses and failures at importations does not cause him to discontinue his venture with English plays.

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Raymond's Ladies' Minstrels is booked for the Sun early in April. It was here last year and easily shattered all previous records in point of receipts at this play house.

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* HIPPODROME FOR CHICAGO. *
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Chicago is soon to have a hippodrome with a seating capacity of 6,100. It will be the largest auditorium used exclusively as a theatre in America. Property at the southeast corner of Wabash avenue and Hubbard court has been leased for a period of twenty years at an annual rental of $36,000. St. Louis and Chicago men are said to be backing the project.

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Dramatic Editor—"I am invited to a surprise party. Would it be proper to ask a gentleman to call for me and take me home?"

Be a sport and take a chance.

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* IS FEATURED IN THE BILLBOARD. *
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Edna Wallace Hopper, recently seen here with Richard Carle in "Jumping Jupiter," occupies the title page of this week's issue of The Billboard. She is to go into a new piece in the early fall, and it will have a Broadway hearing. Ebullient Edna has lost some of her lustre and vivacity, and to make good in New York, she will have to be supplied with a splendid opera and surrounded by an all-star cast. And this is not said with any disparagement to Edna, who has seen her day. Time was when she was a universal favorite, and one of the most superlative little creatures that appeared in comic opera, but time effaces everything, and Edna isn't as youthful and charming as she used to be.

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Eddie Foy gave a professional matinee in "Over the River," Friday in New York and 1,800 Thespians witnessed the performance.

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The box office receipts of the New York run of "The Black Crook" were $1,400,000. This is the big burlesque of forty years ago.

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Jan Kubelik, the greatest violinist in the world, will appear in the New York Hippodrome Sunday night, and every seat has been sold.

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Avery Hopwood has written a new comedy, entitled "The Last Straw."

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The revival of "A Trip to Chinatown," by Florenz Zeigfeld, will be along the usual Ziegfeldian lines. Emmy Wehlen will be the star and the piece is to be renamed "The Winsome Widow."

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In addition to "The Spring Maid" company in Cincinnati, the one-night stand company has been playing a number of engagements in Ohio the past ten days. Gene Luneska, who was seen here in "The Strollers" with Robert Lett, is featured in the cast.

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Patrons of the Orpheum Circuit will see Madame Sarah Bernhardt. Preparations for her appearance are now in progress. "The Still Voice" has also been engaged by Mr. Martin Beck. Most notable of all will be the production of "Madame Butterfly" by David Belasco, which is now in rehearsal. That will surely be "vaudeville de luxe."

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The Sun
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For the first half of the week, beginning Monday, April st, a high-class vaudeville presenting for the feature The Carr Trio, refined singers and dancers, introducing Master Clifford Carr, America's foremost child monologuist and comedian. The Detroit Free Press says of them:

"The Carr Trio have just returned from the Pacific coast, playing interstate, Pantages, and all the West. They open their act in evening dress, using their own scenery. Mr. Carr then appears and renders a ballad and a novelty acrobatic buck dance which won praise. Mrs. Carr and Master Clifford appear in a cute number introducing Clifford as a little girl. Mrs. Carr does a handsome skirt and toe dance. Then comes Clifford again dressed as Buster Brown and keeps the audience screaming and laughing for ten minutes with his many funny stories. The trio finish their act with a military song, appearing in one more change of costume, beautiful white satin uniforms.

Others on the bill are Gladstone & Talmage, singing and pianologue. Marie Gray, comedienne. Extra added attraction, The Peers Novelty Bar Experts. Motion pictures interesting.

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Another of the Shubert attractions is to have an early closing—none other than the musical play, "The Kiss Waltz." The last rites will be performed in Brooklyn tonight.

How Times Do Change!

Columbus, Ohio, March 30—Eminently more work is being done in the United States to stamp out tuberculosis than in Europe, according to Dr. C. O. Probst, for twenty-five years secretary of the Ohio State Board of Health, and originator of the movement in Ohio against that disease, who has just returned from a visitation of the tuberculosis hospitals of Europe. He was surprised to learn that there has been no organized movement towards the prevention of tuberculosis in that continent such as there has been in the United States. The proposition is now being taken up in Vienna. The methods of treating the disease in Europe are pretty much the same as in this country. In pathological work they excel in Europe. In the hospitals in Vienna a post-mortem is held on the bodies of all who die in those institutions. This is a rule that is never suspended. This is what affords a great opportunity for pathological study and gives the medical profession of Europe an advantage over that of this country. In other respects the medical men of this country measure up fully as high as those abroad. Dr. Probst visited Davos, Switzerland, the great health resort of Europe. There are as many as 18 tuberculosis hospitals there. England and Germany each maintain one. Dr. Probst was accorded every courtesy by the foreign practitioners.

Harvey Garber's opposition to the governor is not proving very potent at Greenville, Darke county, his former home. Friends of the governor who circulated petitions there for him, only found five persons who declined to sign them. It was suspected that these five would not sign and they were asked merely to put them on record. Reports received at the Harmon headquarters are to the effect that Republicans everywhere manifested a desire to sign the governor's petition. Their names were not taken, however, it not being necessary to solicit other than Democrats for the number of names needed to enable the governor to qualify as a presidential candidate in Ohio.

To agree upon a uniform construction of the new full crew law which requires an additional brakeman on passenger trains, representatives of the various railroads operating in Ohio were in conference with the public service commission Friday afternoon. There is no disposition on the part of the railroads to refuse to comply with the law, but they have been interpreting it differently. As a result of the conference, a rule will be adopted which will be uniform in application to all roads.

President Allen W. Thurman, of the state board of administration, makes the claim that one hundred million dollars of public money has been wasted in the administration of state institutions since their establishment, on account of the spoils system. He said the board, on taking over the eighteen state institutions, found an astounding condition of inefficiency and waste. Water pipes were found so clogged with deposit that it was impossible to use them in heating, except at an extravagant expenditure for coal. Machinery that could have been repaired for a few dollars was thrown on the scrap heap and new bought to take its place. Economy was something that was unknown. The 24,000 employes got their jobs through political pull. President Thurman estimates that the new board will save $250,000 in the management of the institutions the first year.

Vice President S. D. Fess, of the constitutional convention doesn't see how that body can complete its work and adjourn before some time in June. The Beatty resolution proposes that the convention complete its work April 26 and recess until May 11, convening then for final adjournment. Mr. Fess thinks it would be unwise to rush through the work. "The convention was elected to do its work thoroughly and that will take time, and I believe the people will be more dissatisfied if we rush through and do a half job than if we take too long," said he.

For wrong doing, the right of two physicians to follow their profession will be taken away by the state medical board at its next meeting on Tuesday. These physicians are Drs. Floyd W. Jones of Columbus, and W. G. S. Dillehunt, of Springfield. Both are serving sentences in the penitentiary for malpractice. They were sent there several weeks ago.

The state supervisors of agriculture will chaperone the Ohio boys who will get a special trip to Washington next December as a result of the corn raising contest inaugurated by the state board of agriculture. In their work in the rural schools, supervisors are booming the contest and they think that from 300 to 500 boys will take the trip. County agricultural societies, bankers and other professional men will donate the money necessary to meet the expenses of the project. The boys who raise the most corn on an acre of land will take the trip.

BLAKE.

Pretty Mothers

Health is the foundation of all good looks. The wise woman realizes this and takes precautions to preserve her health and strength through the period of child bearing. She remains a pretty mother by avoiding as far as possible the suffering and dangers of such occasions. This every woman may do through the use of Mother's Friend, a remedy that has been so long in use, and accomplished so much good, that it is in no sense an experiment, but a preparation which always produces the best results. It is for external application and so penetrating in its nature as to thoroughly lubricate every muscle, nerve and tendon involved during the period before baby comes. It aids nature by expanding the skin and tissues, relieves tenderness and soreness, and perfectly prepares the system for natural and safe motherhood. Mother's Friend has been used and endorsed by thousands of mothers, and its use will prove a comfort and benefit to any woman in need of such a remedy. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for free book for expectant mothers, which contains much valuable information.

Mother's Friend

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HAD DESPERATE BATTLE WITH MADDENED HOUND

Richard Applegate, a driver for Zottman Bros.' American Steam Laundry had a desperate struggle with a big hound belonging to Lawrence Weis, of Twelfth street, Friday afternoon.

Dick was delivering laundry to the home, when suddenly attacked by the dog, which fortunately was muzzled. The hound sprang for his throat. Dick managed to fight off the attack, but this seemed to enrage the beast all the more and he again sprang for his throat. Dick now fighting with all the strength at his command, threw the hound to the ground. Its teeth were fastened in the laundryman's glove, but he held the struggling dog fast until Mr. Weis came rushing upon the scene. Applegate was slightly bruised in the battle, which came wholly unexpected, as he has been delivering laundry to the house for years and never before was disturbed by the hound.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

To Talk On Socialism

Dr. Henley will give a Socialist talk at the Haru Gari hall, corner of Gay and Gallia streets on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Every one is cordially invited.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

New Boilers For Selby Co.

The Selby Shoe Company recently decided to install a battery of new boilers in their new power plant. For a while it was thought their old ones would do, but they have begun to show the wear and tear and will give way to larger and more modern ones.

The Babcox and Wilcox Company of New York, was awarded the contract to furnish three of the boilers. Two stokers are to be furnished by the Murphy Iron Company, of Detroit. The coal elevator is to be installed by the Link Belt Company of Philadelphia.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Nutt To Sell Cartridges

O. H. Nutt, of this city has just taken a position on the road for the Peters Cartridge Company of Cincinnati. He will give a number of demonstrations for his firm and will make his headquarters in Portsmouth. Mr. Nutt is an expert with a rifle. At the National Shooting Tournament in 1911 his percentage was 93 out of 2,200 targets.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Mrs. Switalski Improving

Mrs. Lillian J. Switalski, wife of City Editor Frank Switalski, Jr., of the Times, who has been suffering with typhoid fever for several weeks at their home on Second street, is still bedfast but slowly improving.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Has New Position.

Charles Grausehl, who for a number of months was employed as assistant brewmaster at the Portsmouth Brewing & Ice Company's plant, has taken a similar position with a big brewing concern in Cincinnati.

SOCIALIST COLUMN

(By Robert Dodge.)

The Socialists disdain to conceal their views and aims. They openly declare that their ends can be attained only by the forcible overthrow of all existing social conditions.

The foregoing is a quotation from a circular that the Social Service League, whoever and whatever that may be, is throwing around. Now the first sentence of the circular quoted is true and because it is true the opponents of Socialism are left without any excuse for misrepresenting it, as they do by the use of the word "forcible" in the second sentence.

Socialism means a new era of material well being as well as intellectual and spiritual development for all. Whenever the Socialist idea gets into a man's head it uproots old ideas and controls the man. An idea is no respecter of persons, and the Socialist idea when once it is understood conquers both the rich and poor alike.

The greatest difficulty in the way of converting the capitalist to Socialism is that his mind is so occupied by his various business relationships it is hard for the new idea to find lodgement and be understood, but once it does he will espouse it with as much or more enthusiasm as he now opposes it. This is proven by the experience of hundreds of wealthy men now in and a part of the movement who but a short time since were fighting it.

The ideas that control a man compel him to do and to be what he is, and so long as a man is controlled by the capitalist idea, be he rich or poor, he cannot become a Socialist.

The world owes its progress to the men and women who go about with their eyes open and their minds receptive and who will investigate a new truth before condemning it, however strange and unpopular it may seem at first sight. Such men and women are the pioneers of all progress and they recognize this great fundamental fact that change is the universal law of nature and they realize that human society must change in harmony with this law or stagnation will result.

The enemies of Socialism define it to be something it is not in order to be better prepared to condemn it, and this is the reason Socialists are at the time urging the people to study and investigate in order to find out for themselves what it really is and what it proposes to accomplish. They insist that education is imperative and that it is the mission of their party to enlighten the workers so as to prepare them for the co-operative management and operation of industry and thus solve the problem of the ages in the production and distribution of the means of life.

Socialism confines its activities to purely economic and political questions and for this reason is pronounced Godless by some people who have a great deal more religion than Christianity in their make-up. But the fact remains that there are hundreds of ministers of the gospel of Christ in the movement today and their number is being added to every day. In truth they constitute a most enthusiastic and agressive part of the movement designated as "The Christian Socialist Fellowship." Yes, it is coming.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Ships Coal To England

The effects of the prolonged strike in England are being felt right here in Portsmouth. It hardly seems possible, but it is true, nevertheless.

Instead of the Norfolk and Western Railway sending most of its coal to the lakes it is being shipped East and thence across the Atlantic to relieve the coal famine now existing in London. Thousands of cars have been shipped East the past few weeks. The result is that a number of trainmen on the Portsmouth and Williamson divisions have been laid off indefinitely. Eight engineers with their firemen were lopped off Friday. They will return to work as soon as the coal shipments come west instead of going the other way.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Occupies Former Home.

J. Nicholas Reinhardt, retired drayman, who recently disposed of his property on Eighth street to his neighbor, Mrs. Charles Winter, has again occupied his former home on Sixth street near Findlay, and where he lived before for a period of nineteen years.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

Has Been Ill.

Mrs. Mary Layher, who spent the winter at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Postel, in Cincinnati, is just recovering from a long and severe illness. She hopes soon to join her son, Otto Layher, in Columbus, and enroute will stop here for a brief visit to relatives and friends.

Cinderella, Grand, Monday night.

DON'T PULL OUT THE GRAY HAIRS

A Few Applications of a Simple Remedy Will Bring Back The Natural Color.

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place," is an old saying, which is, to a great extent true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the hair seems to be lifeless or dead, some good, reliable hair-restoring treatment should be resorted to at once. Specialists say that one of the best preparations to use is the old-fashioned "sage tea," which our grandparents used. The best preparation of this kind is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a preparation of domestic sage and sulphur, scientifically compounded with later discovered hair tonics and stimulants, the whole mixture being carefully balanced and tested by experts.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is clean and wholesome and perfectly harmless. It refreshes dry, parched hair, removes dandruff and gradually restores faded or gray hair to its natural color.

Don't delay another minute. Start using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur at once and see what a difference a few days' treatment will make in your hair.

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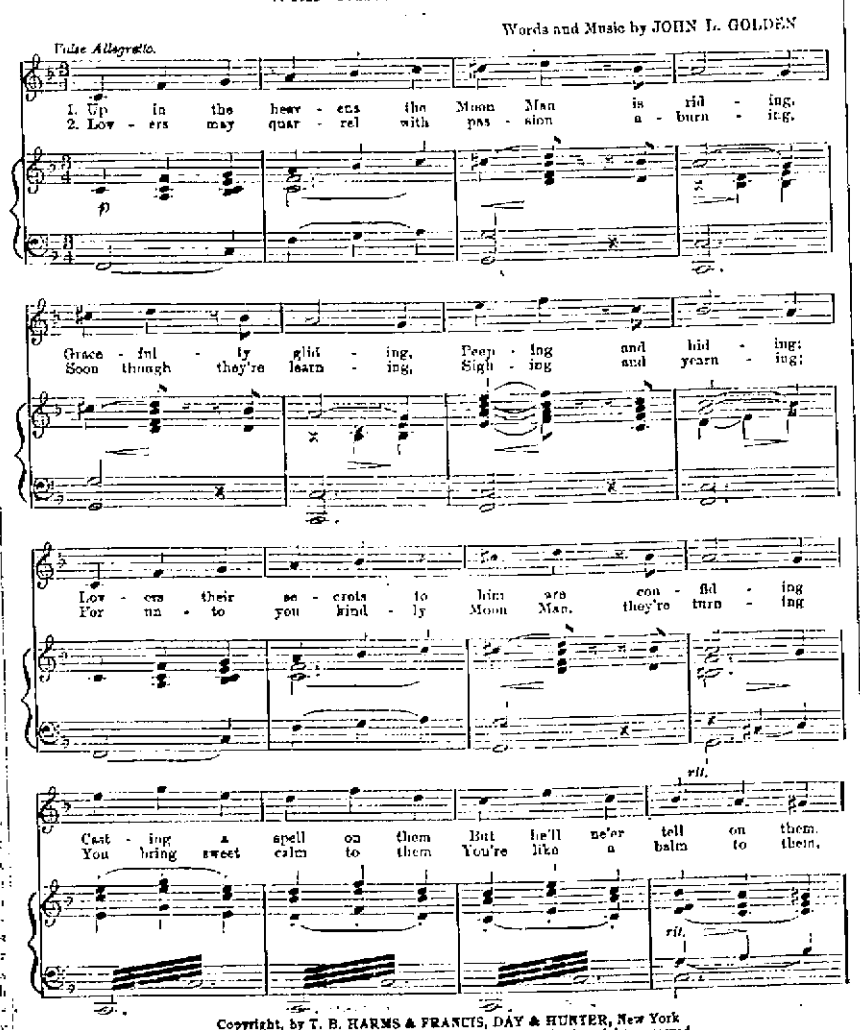

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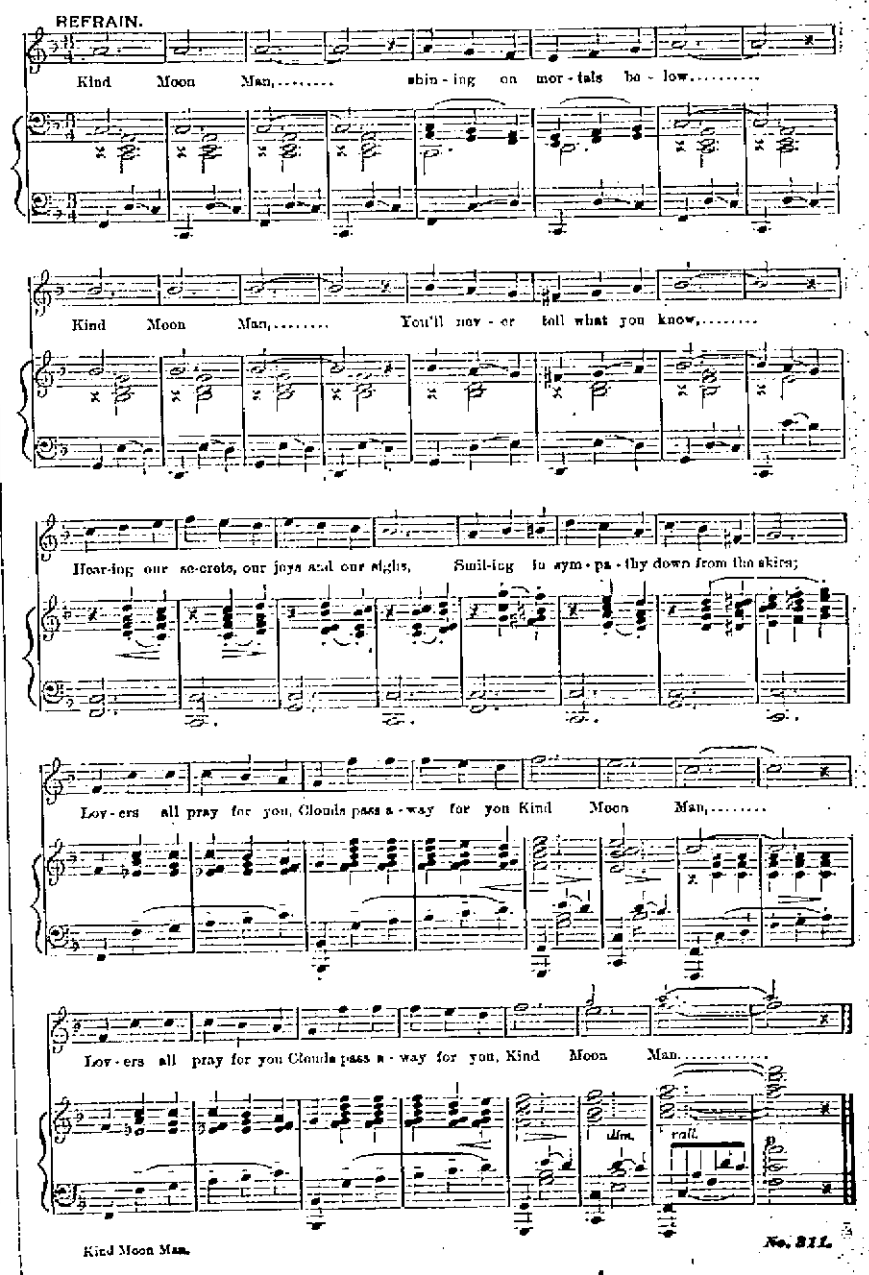

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COLUMBIA TO-NIGHT

Mr. Albert Ertz Closes His Engagement Tonight

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THE MARKETS

Chicago, Ill., March 30—There is practically nothing new in wheat this week and fluctuations have been very narrow, but on looking over the entire cereal market we discover that wheat is exceedingly weak, others having scored a large advance, while wheat has suffered a decline of 3-4c. Wheat seems to be marking time and speculators are waiting for something to happen. Just what this "something" will be remains to be seen. Meanwhile the bears point to the large amount in storage here, the good crop reports now coming in and the continued large Argentine shipments. Country elevators seem to have plenty of wheat on hand, but bought at too high a figure to sell on the present market.

Our opinion has not changed on this commodity and we believe present prices will not change much.

Corn has been very strong this week with an advance of 2 1-2c per bushel. The demand has been very good and all offerings have been readily absorbed. Bulls claim corn is worth the money and more, and substantiate their position by pointing to the large winter consumption, price of hay, etc. The bears claim the prices are not warranted and point to the decline in wheat and the price of corn a year ago. We have always felt the time to sell was when the demand was good, and especially when the price is high. Corn is certainly very high at present, and in the face of the weak wheat market it can drop very easily.

Oats has also scored an advance of about 1 1-4c, principally caused by the strength in corn, the late seeding and advance in hay. Many figure the new crop will be small, as nothing was sown this month, but it must be remembered that oats sown in April have often produced very large crops. However, we believe they are worth the price and hardly look for a decline now.

GRAIN MARKET.

OPENING.

Chicago, Ill., March 30—Wheat May, 102⅝ to 102¾; July, 98 to 98⅛; Sept., 96⅛ to 96¼.

Corn: May, 74⅛ to 74¼; July, 74⅛ and 73¾ to 73¾.

Oats: May, 54¾ to 54⅝ and ¾; July, 50 ½ to 50⅝; Sept., 43⅛ to 43¼.

CLOSE.

Wheat: May, 102½; July, 97⅝; Sept., 95⅞.

Corn: May, 74⅞; July, 74⅝; Sept., 73⅝.

Oats: May, 54⅞; July, 50¾; Sept., 43¼.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, March 30—The last sale of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper, 80¾.
American Beet Sugar, 60¼.
American Sugar Refining 128⅜
Baltimore & Ohio, 106¾.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 77⅛.
Illinois Central, 132½.
Louisville & Nashville, 156.
New York Central, 112½.
Norfolk & Western, 110⅞.
Pennsylvania, 123⅞.
United States Steel, 67⅝.
United States Steel, Preferred, 111⅝.
Western Union, 81.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., March 30—Hogs: receipts, 7,000; market, dull; mixed and butchers, $7.45 to $7.92; good, $7.50 to $7.95; light, $7.55 to $7.90; pigs, $5.25 to $5.35.

Cattle: receipts, 200; market, steady; beeves, $5.25 to $8.50; cows and heifers, $2.60 to $6.60; stockers and feeders, $4.30 to $6.50; calves, $6.50 to $8.00.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 5,000; market, steady; natives, $4.35 to $6.25; lambs, $5.75 to $7.85.

Pittsburg, March 30—Cattle: supply, light; market, steady; choice, $7.90 to $8.00; good, $7.70 to $7.75; fair, $5.75 to $6.25; veal calves, $9.50 to $10.00.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, light; market, strong; prime wethers, $6.40 to $6.25; good mixed, $5.60 to $6.60; fair mixed, $5.00 to $5.50; lambs, $2.50 to $8.15; spring lambs, $9.00 to $12.50.

Hogs: receipts, light; market, active; prime heavy, $8.20 to $8.25; medium, $8.30 to $8.37; heavy yorkers, $8.30; light yorkers, $8.00 to $8.15; pigs, $7.25 to $7.60.

Will Tap Sewer.

A permit was issued to Henry Widdebrook Saturday for a sanitary sewer tap at the rear of his property, No. 2220 Eleventh St.

Frank Lawson, of the firm Lawson & Brand, of Chillicothe, street, is very ill with malaria fever.

Why not the Town Pump?

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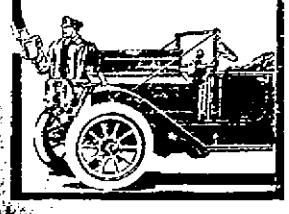

Fine Film For The Star

Manager Ellison of the Star theatre, has booked for Monday, matinee and night, "The Deserter," a splendid military picture. The plot of the play deals with the love of two men for one girl, an attack on an emigrant train by Indians and a thrilling rescue by soldiers.

The Deserter is one of the famous "101" Bison series and is said to be the best yet produced. A special military song will also be sung by Mr. Bennett.

JANITOR'S WIFE AFTER DIVORCE

Frederick Rightmire was made the defendant in an action for divorce and alimony instituted in the common pleas court, Saturday, by Attorneys Milner, Miller & Scurl, for Callie Rightmire. In her complaint the wife says they were married in 1904, but claims that two years later he left and has since willfully neglected to provide for her. She also charges Rightmire with extreme cruelty and claims that at the time he deserted her she was in poor physical health. The defendant is employed as janitor in the Wheelersburg school and receives about $60 per month, it is declared, and she asks for an allowance for her support during the pendency of the suit. She also wants back her maiden name of Callie Billings.

OWLS TO HOLD BIG MEETING

The Owls will wind up their campaign with a class initiation and merry celebration Sunday afternoon. The exercises will be held at the Nest on West Second street, and a fine time is anticipated. The program will be featured by addresses by prominent Owls and will be brought to a close with a social session and smoker, during which refreshments will be served. This is the last opportunity to get in, as a charter member, and it believes all persons who wish to join this splendid organization to fly to the Nest before the charter closes. All Owls are urged to be at the Nest Sunday afternoon.

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MADE TALK TO M. W. A. CAMP

B. B. Beck, of Farmville, district deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America, addressed the local lodge here Friday night. There will be a large class adoption June 21 and the members will bend every effort to make it a memorable occasion.

The team in the local order is planning to go to Wheeling the week of July 21 to attend the Tri-State Encampment.

BUDDY KICKED ONE HOUND AROUND

"You've gotta quit kickin' my hound around," was disregarded Friday night by Buddy Molster, a resident of East Front street.

As he passed Front and Chillicothe streets a hound jumped at him and made several attempts to reach his throat. The dog gave every indication of being mad as it snapped its teeth viciously and frothed at the mouth. The animal put up a strong fight and it was only with almost superhuman strength that Molster beat it off. He kicked the dog a dozen times before he could get away. Molster's overcoat was almost torn into shreds as the dog ripped it to pieces by his sharp teeth. Molster was given the scare of his life and upon reaching home suffered a nervous chill superinduced by the excitement attending the incident. Molster furnished the police a description of the hound.

BICYCLES

You should have one of Prichard's new bicycles and not walk yourself to death. You can do a better day's work. You can eat your dinner at home. You can save street car fare. You can save time at every end. By doing better work your wages will be increased and by saving time and street car fare you are making money at both ends. A good wheel can be bought for $25.00 to $50.00.

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Licensed Films To Be Shown At Lyric

Francis Mack, who will look after the management of the Lyric theatre, reached the city Saturday from Washington, where he had been filling an engagement in one of that city's newest picture houses.

Upon his arrival here Mr. Mack announced that beginning with Monday, first run "licensed" pictures would be shown at the Lyric, a contract to this effect having been closed today. This means that some of the biggest features in the picture world will be seen at the Lyric.

Mr. Mack will not sing the songs at this house at present, at least, as Mr. Earl Barr will be retained indefinitely. He has made good and is making many friends here.

Mr. Mack takes charge of the house Monday, as Mr. Duvendeck, the present manager, severs his connections with the theatre tonight.

CAT CAME BACK---IN BAD SHAPE

William Schneider of West Second street, has been grieving over the loss of a fine cat which was shipped to him four weeks ago by a friend in the South.

The cat suddenly disappeared two weeks ago and Mr. Schneider had given up all hopes of seeing his pet again when Thursday night the cat came back. But he was minus one eye and looked as though he had lost at least eight of his lives since he had departed from his happy fireside.

B. B. Beck, a well known Modern Woodmen of America organizer, who has many friends in this city, is being urged by the papers in his home county, Farmville, to become the Democratic candidate for the House of Representatives.

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F. V. Krauss of the Portsmouth Stove and Range Co., has been actively engaged in the stove business for over forty years.

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The latest addition to the force is John Krauss, Jr., grandson of F. V. Krauss, and as his grandfather and father did before him, he is starting in the business at the beginning.

The Portsmouth Stove Company, representing three generations, is one of the best business firms in the city, and through the efforts of the Krausses it is one of the most reliable.

Home From Pittsburg.

George Curry, of West Fourth street, has returned from a pleasant two weeks' visit with relatives at Pittsburg, Pa.

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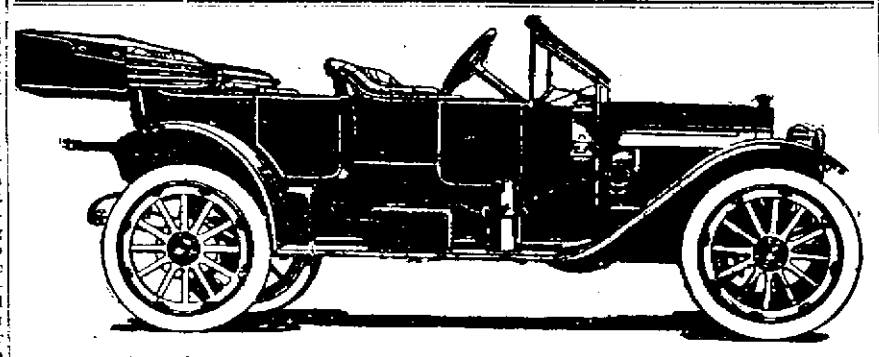

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We mention this gently because with many of our competitors it is a tender point. Their theory too often is, HOLD UP THE OWNER. So it is common knowledge that it costs three or four times as much to buy most cars part by part as it would to buy them assembled. But every Studebaker part is listed at its proportionate cost in a complete car plus a small percentage for handling.

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FIREMAN TOM PYLES IS AGAIN SUSPENDED

HANCOCK ACTS AS HUTCH'S LACKEY

The expected happened when Thomas Pyles, veteran fireman, whose reinstatement had just been ordered by the circuit court, was again suspended from the service Saturday morning.

Profiting by his blunder in himself suspending Pyles January 9, Safety Director Wells A. Hutchins this time allowed Fire Chief Charles Hancock to perform that important duty and he personally delivered the notice to Pyles at the Hill Top engine house.

Pyles had returned to duty on Friday evening at 6 o'clock and spent the night there. Hancock's visit was not unexpected. The formal serving of the notice was without incident. Hancock merely stepped up to Pyles and without a word handed him the paper notifying him of his suspension. Pyles accepted it good naturedly and later in the day sent the notice to his counsel, Attorney Henry T. Bannon, he himself remaining at his post of duty as the suspension is not effective until 6 o'clock this evening.

Infirmity and incompetence are the grounds set forth in the charges which allege that Pyles is unable to perform the duties of a fireman and that his suspension is for the good of the service. Formal certification of his suspension was made to the city auditor by Clerk John Wilhelm of the safety department. Accompanying the same was a notice of the appointment of Charles D. Clark, an N. & W. car repairer, to temporarily succeed to the vacancy.

The news of Pyles' suspension spread over town with great rapidity and caused general indignation. Persons heretofore biased against the fireman for political reasons only, now resented the latest move of the gang, realizing as they did that Pyles had made an honest and fair fight for his rights and was entitled to the fruits of his victory. That the suspension presages another hard and bitter fight is conceded on all sides.

Attorney Bannon up to Saturday noon had not yet received a copy of the charges nor had he conferred with his client but he said it was certain that he would continue the fight in behalf of Pyles and that some people were likely "to get their foot in it, too." To him it seemed that the officials were treading on dangerous ground and that Pyles' suspension coming so soon after the court order reinstating him was nothing less than contempt for that body. There was no question but that it was violating the spirit of the law and the fact may not be known to some but it is possible to criminally prosecute officials who persist in violating the spirit of the law. The law plainly specifies the grounds under which a suspension or dismissal can and should be made and from what Mr. Bannon has heard of the Pyles notice, this Chief Hancock failed to do.

Immediately after Pyles' reinstatement Friday Mr. Bannon addressed a communication to the city auditor setting out the facts of the case and then presenting claim for salary due for the time lost and to which he is entitled under the law. He is entitled to salary at the rate of $65 per month subject to a credit of the amount earned by him during the interim, namely $16.54. Enclosed was a certificate of his employer, John G. Dillon, secretary and treasurer of the Wait Furniture Company showing he had drawn that amount. Mr. Bannon asks that a bill be rendered in Pyles' favor to the city for the difference between the sum he would have earned and what he did earn.

The letter says in conclusion: "Mr. Pyles did his best to make the amount owing him by the city as small as possible and diligently sought employment, but you will recall that the weather during the months of January and February were so severe that it was difficult to obtain employment.

Mr. Pyles should he eventually lose out as a fireman will have a job awaiting him at the Wait Company's plant.

The result of the Pyles case in the circuit court has increased the hopes of other deposed firemen who too are simply fighting for their rights. Attorney Horace L. Small, representing Edward Phillips, Charles C. Campbell, Adam Hobstetter, George W. Hausgen, Jeff Rayburn and Theodore Schimpf, Saturday renewed efforts to secure their reinstatement.

Mr. Small arranged a conference with Safety Director Hutchins, members of the civil service commission and Judge George M. Osborn who prosecuted the cases against the firemen and to ascertain what they were willing to agree to. Mr. Small contended that the principle of law in his cases and that of Pyles were the same and that it would be a waste of time and needless expenditure of money to continue the fight. He asked that an entry pro forma be made in each of the six cases which would mean their reinstatement as firemen. The officials promised to give him a definite answer by Monday and it is believed that at least some of the deposed men will be allowed to return to the service.

Don't Neglect A Child's Cough

The "Child's Welfare" movement has challenged the attention of thoughtful people everywhere. Mothers are natural supporters and will find in Foley's Honey and Tar Compound a most valuable aid. Coughs and colds that unchecked lead to croup, bronchitis and pneumonia yield quickly to the healing and soothing qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Is a medicine, not a narcotic. Refuse substitutes.

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For Cincy.

Max Mendel will leave Sunday for Cincinnati on a pleasure and business trip combined.

O. D. Foster is painting the interior of the Smith & Watkins plumbing store on Gallia street.

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Salesmen Attacked By Dog On Streets

A. J. Connelly, a traveling salesman for the Producers' Coal Company of Cincinnati, was attacked and bitten by a stray hound on Third street below Market Friday evening.

Connelly was bitten on the left cheek just below the eye. He at once notified the police but the dog managed to escape. Connelly had his wound cauterized and fearful of results told the police he would remain here a few days as he was anxious that the dog be killed and its head examined for possible symptoms of rabies.

Police thought they saw the same hound roaming about the Second street school lot Saturday morning. While Officer John Smith hurried after some meat for bait with which he hoped to entice the hound to the patrol barn Officer John Nance unintentionally scared the canine away.

HOPE HE'S A PROPHET

Dr. Goodpaster says we are in for a spell of fine weather. Doc has a barometer, and it consists of his bones and nerves. It never fails him, he says. His bones now tell him that fine weather is coming apace. Hurrah for Doc's bones!

BELIEVE THIS IF YOU WANT TO

"Czar," the huge dog that belongs to Mr. Thomas, of the Red Cross drug store, and takes up a large part of the floor space at the drug store, don't take kindly to his muzzle, but exhibits philosophy worthy of a biped. Today when Mr. Mercer started to go to dinner, Czar was right on the spot, ready to accompany him, as he usually does, when Mr. Thomas, noticing he did not have his muzzle on, addressed the canine as if he were a human being, and told him he couldn't go without his muzzle on. Czar looked up into Mercer's face, then turned and looked in the direction of the corner where his muzzle was hanging and trotted in that direction. Then he turned and looked at Mr. Mercer in a way that said plainly: "Come and muzzle me." He was duly muzzled and swung off after Mr. Mercer, sniffing an elegant meal.

"That comes pretty near being human," said a traveling man who witnessed the occurrence.

Save money at The Royal Savings & Loan Co., 819 Gallia St.

TUESDAY NIGHT CLOSING IS ALMOST UNANIMOUS

Messrs. Albert Marting and Warwick Anderson, who are calling on the local retail merchants relative to keeping their stores closed on Tuesday night stated Saturday that they have over 60 signatures on their petition. They called on the hardware men today.

"We have met with so much encouragement that it begins to look like the opening of stores on Tuesday night in this city will soon be a thing of the past," said Mr. Marting to a Times man. "Of course the grocers will keep open, but almost every other store in the city will respect the new closing arrangement."

Had Been Separated

It develops that William McIntyre, former local hostler, who died of tuberculosis in a Columbus hospital, and wife, Mrs. Annie Montgomery-Shaw-McIntyre, had been separated for the past nine months. Mrs. McIntyre visited her husband, however, after his removal to Columbus, but was not at his bedside when the end came. Local infirmary officials sent her word of his death.

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Has Served Many Years

Lacking just two years in rounding out the golden jubilee of his ordination is Rt. Rev. Msgr. Specht, pastor of St. Mary's church in Columbus, according to the Catholic Columbian. The venerable vicar general of the diocese of Columbus has been pastor of the parish for nearly sixty years. It was Msgr. Specht who delivered the German oration at the funeral of the late Msgr. A. Nonnen of this city.

The Best Way? Go To Your Doctor
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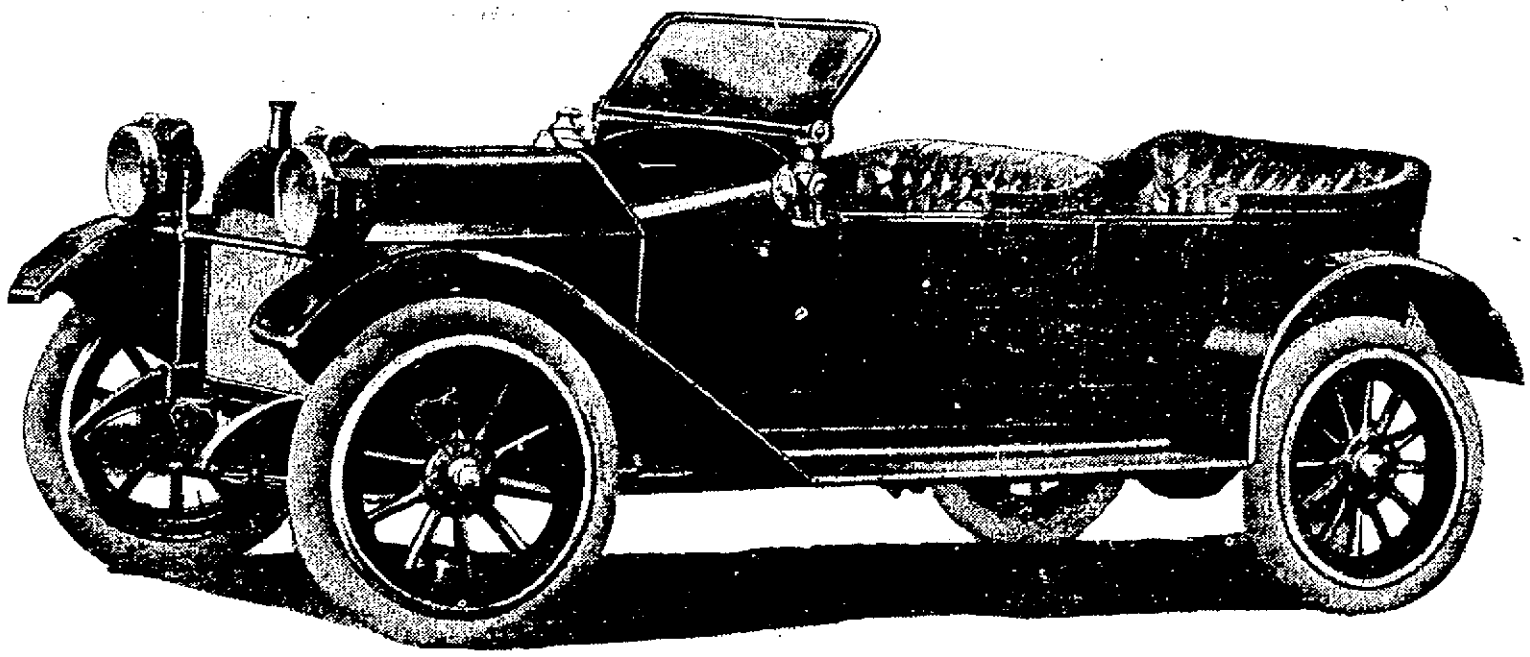

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A COMMON EXPERIENCE.

The original and industrious Gallipolis Tribune waxes wroth because some of its less gifted and diligent contemporaries have been swiping some of its exudations without proper credit, or any credit at all. Against one offender it charges grave robbing because it stole bodily from the Tribune an obituary, written with its choice diction and supremest sentimental vein and palmed it off on a poor dead girl as its lachrymal tribute.

That reminds us all "us" great editors have the sad experience much akin. Once this writer perpetrated something especially superb on the occasion of a noted suicide. Imagine his surprise when some time later, picking up an exchange, he read therein that same article lifted in large sections and jammed into an account of the dedication of the first gubernatorial home in Illinois, as the piece du resistance, so to speak.

That wasn't half as comical, however, as another instance some time later. There appeared in these unique columns a home produced article. It drifted around over the country for months and finally turned up in these columns again, credited to another paper that had stolen it in turn from the steenth other.

We are not complaining of our brethren, that is not much. They give so much away, that they, probably, feel justified in taking something for nothing.

THE EXCUSE WHY.

The Dayton Journal says, that in the Republican national convention no delegate will be bound and gagged, he will vote his own sentiment and may rise in his place and demand that right. On the other hand in the Democratic national convention there will be delegates bound hand and foot and their votes put in their mouth.

All of which is a choice blending of fiction and fact.

The two conventions are ruled on different theories. In the Republican the district and the delegate are the unit. A state can not bind all its apportioned delegates to vote as a unit and though a delegate be instructed he can vote directly against his instruction, if he has the nerve and the perfidy to do so—the convention will not question his freedom in the matter. As a matter of practice, both states and districts do instruct their delegates to vote a certain way and the instances, when the delegates violate their instructions are so infrequent as to be neglible.

In the Democratic national convention the sovereignty of the state is recognized, the whole state and not the districts in it is the unit. It is held that state may instruct all its delegates, no matter how chosen, to vote solidly together and that vote will be cast as the state—through the state convention—directs, without allowance for separate individual choice.

The Republican rule is the better one, but the difference is actually brought about through the law of the Democratic convention, which requires a two-thirds vote to nominate, while the Republican requires only a majority.

There is no question, however, that the Republicans have the better plan of nomination. In the Democratic body both the two-thirds and the unit rule should be abolished. There is no justifiable reason for the prevailing of either in a Democratic body when Democracy is founded on the rule of the majority, not on a majority of a certain proportion and on the principle that the individual is the supreme factor.

SAME OLD SQUEAL.

That common political pestilence and social scourge, Theodore Roosevelt, is rampaging unrestrained through the land, exhibiting his sore toe, where the Taft machine ran over it.

Its precious little sympathy he gets. If there is anything the American people have a contempt for it is a squealer, and that is the thing the aforesaid Theodore has degenerated into.

He has been howling ever since he threw his hat into the ring for a primary so the plain people of the Republican party might decide whom they wanted for president and now that he got it and at the same time got the drubbing he so richly deserved he is yelling theft, burglary and bloody murder. That doesn't get him anything except hoots and derision.

A man never does get anything else, when he howls over being paid back in his own coin.

PAYING THE BILLS.

The gang has been brought to abrupt halt in its career of highbinder and freebooter.

It can't fracture the laws at pleasure and plunder a man's job, just because he does not happen to yield allegiance to "the organization."

The circuit court has set its foot down on that practice and delusion and set it down hard.

It holds, as has all along been maintained in these columns, that the attempt to remove firemen and policemen without notice and charges preferred was a gross and clear violation of the civil law and the employees allegedly dismissed still hold their positions.

That means, it is to be supposed, these men never being dismisse dare entitled to pay and from which it follows the city will have their salaries to pay, in addition to those already paid those put in their places.

So again is it seen that gang rule comes high.

Scarce is this the end of the matter either. For now that the discharged men have been re-instated by order of court, it is to be supposed the gang will not rest with that, but it will proceed in regular form with further attempt to oust the individuals, who have added to its wrath against them. Having a plant majority on the civil service board it is likely the firemen and policemen will have to again resort to the courts to maintain their rights.

GETTING IT QUICK.

The voters, who voted to put the gang back in power, are getting just what they voted for and getting it quick and heaped up.

Sunday the waterworks plant broke down and was out of commission for several hours; Monday it repeated the performance.

Further than that, though the gang had put one of its freelegs on the job several days before, some of the pumping stations proved out of order, just as a flood was coming up and considerable inconvenience resulted therefrom, while unnecessary danger menaced.

As one consequence of the break down of the waterworks, Monday, hundreds had to stop work for better than a half day and of course, the peril to the whole city while the water supply was cut off was imminent.

Nothing else was to be expected. The gangsters never could keep the waterworks in shape and they deserted their posts, without sufficient warning, on the eve of the advent of a Democratic administration. Before they deserted they were continuously bellowing around the plant was on the verge of a collapse. They know their own incompetency, even if they did not know the needs of the plant. For four years under a Democratic rule, competent men kept the plant safely running and even put it in good condition, but here are the gangsters back less than three months and it goes to smash.

And that is where the people get what they voted for. They knew the gang, they knew it could not care for the public interests and would not if it could.

TAKE A HAND.

In their purpose to beautify the city by improving yards and lawns and planting flowers, through the help of the children, it is the intention of the Women's Federation to furnish the seed free and offer prizes for the best work.

This ought to go far toward making the plan a success. Of course, the Federation has not the money to devote to prizes of great value, but the distinction of winning one, added to the pleasure that even youth will find in the credit of outdoing his fellows, ought to breed a keen spirit of rivalry.

Parents should lend every possible encouragement to their children entering into the contest. Few things are so helpful to little ones as a task that blossoms in the sense and appreciation of the beautiful and certainly nothing can do that so well as the cultivation of flowers and the beautifying of homes.

WISER THAN HE KNEW.

Roosevelt said he would not become a presidential candidate, unless he was convinced the country was in some grave peril and he was needed to rescue it.

The peril has come to his view and he is going in right royally to save the country.

But the peril was not as he thought it, nor is he becoming savior in the manner he fondly imagined.

The peril, of course, was the possible election of Taft and redemption was to come through his own nomination. Taft will be nominated, but Roosevelt has made his election impossible. Realizing the utter futility of his own seeking of an honor, never yet given to an American, a third term as president, he has turned in the fury of his disappointment and chagrin to the destruction of Taft and the rending of the Republican party. In this, we are happy to say, he is succeeding most admirably. He is provoking discord and bitterness that can not in one campaign be turned into harmony and fellowship. He has made improbable victory for the party that has bestowed so many favors upon him and so forbearingly endured him, utterly out of the question.

And 'tis well. He was the most overrated man that ever won pre-eminence. He will hereafter be taken at his proper measure.

IN THE INDIVIDUAL.

The North Dakota primaries unanimously voted for Andrew Burke as the Democratic candidate for president.

Certainly his case proves honor and profit from no condition rise and that all consists in each one acting well his part.

For Andrew Burke is an offspring of the slums of New York. Years ago a kindly policeman picked him up on the streets an orphaned waif and brought him to the Home for the Friendless. From there he went to a childless family in Indiana, where he found a real home and parental love. Availing himself industriously of the opportunities his foster parents offered him, he acquired good and studious habits and broadened a character for integrity and reliability that has made him a power among men. Twice has he, a Democrat, been elected governor of a Republican state, which now bestows on him the second highest favor at its disposal.

THE ONE LIMIT.

The constitutional convention is entertaining a proposition to limit the incumbency of all county officials to a single term of four years.

Such a limitation is ridiculous. It is reasonable and right that terms should be made four years, but the limitation of any public official, except president, to a single term is nonsensical. The people ought to be left the pleasure of retaining a competent and fit servant as long as they wish.

The purpose of creating an office is not to give the largest possible number of citizens preferment thereof, but to secure the best results possible in the administration of their affairs. No reason can be urged that the individual who gives the satisfactory results should not be continued thereat as long as is their will.

The term limit may present advantage to the politicians, but there can be no possible gain in it to the public. Reliable and competent officials are not picked up with every election. In fact, the mere fact that the desirability of limiting their terms as suggested shows there must often be disappointment and failure in them.

HAS A RIGHT TO KICK.

We sympathize with our friend Bill Sibley, of Gallipolis, in his sarcastic comment upon the action of some of his editorial brethren in stealing his editorials and failing to give him the proper credit. Mr. Sibley is a gifted and original writer—one of the most entertaining in the country today. There is never anything dull about the editorial page of the Gallipolis Daily Tribune. The man who is responsible has a right to kick when his articles are lifted bodily without credit or comment.

YOU RBANKING AFFILIATION

has much to do with your business success.

The young business man who has demonstrated his ability to successfully conduct a small business will receive special attention and consideration from this bank.

It has always been and is now our policy to pay particular attention to the business of young and growing concerns with a view to assisting these enterprises to attain and hold their rightful place in the community.

Realizing that young men just starting out need a thoroughly dependable banking connection we invite their business. No account too small to be appreciated.

Interest Paid On Savings Accounts

The First National Bank

ESTABLISHED 1863.

Capital and Surplus $400,000.00
Resources over $2,000,000.00

THAT OLD HAT.

(By Shonk)

Wonst me an' La Follette an' sov'ral more
Attempt old Bill Taft to floor,
But La Follette couldn't do a tarnal thing
So I throwed my old hat in th' ring.

Chorus

Now every time I make a sound
Th' boys go to kickin' my hat aroun'
Makes no diffrunce if my dope ain't sound
They've gotta quit kickin' my hat aroun'.

As soon as my old hat hit th' ground
Th' blamed reporters come a'snoopin' roun',
And th' same durned chaps that praised me before
Now let out an awful roar.

Some say th' public can't hold no grudge
But when I tried North Dakota to budge
Old Bob La Follette, he got sore
An' he wiped my hat up on th' floor.

Th' Dakotaites grabbed his cue an' then
They lit into this gentleman,
An' they sho mussed up my third term plans
With skillets an' clubs an' old tin pans.

ANOTHER CLARK.

The report is spreading around, that Champ Clark, Democratic candidate for president, is an exceedingly rich man, counting his wealth by the millions.

This is probably confounding Champ with another Democrat, ex-Senator Clark, of Montana, who is a millionaire several times and over. The Missouri man is far from being rich. Unlike a good many other powerful factors in public affairs, he has not advantaged of his position to make friends, who would show him the easy way to wealth. He has confined himself strictly to his vocation as lawyer and congressman and has acquired no considerable means from his incomes as such.

NOW WE UNDERSTAND.

For sometime we were puzzled mightily as to why Roosevelt should advocate such an absurdity as the recall of judicial decisions, but now light is beginning to break in upon us.

The man is simply wanting done to the courts what he is notorious for doing to himself.

He said Bryan was a fomentor, a socialist and anarchist for criticising the decisions of courts; he himself has become officious and offensive in assailing all the courts, all the time.

He said he would not become a candidate for a third term, he is now a hopelessly and disgracefully beaten candidate for a third term.

He said on becoming a candidate he would support Taft, if he were nominated, now he is talking strong of bolting Taft's nomination.

Working the recall so insistently and persistently on himself, it is natural he should want to work it on the courts.

OUR ADVANTAGE.

Dayton has started out with the purpose of making herself the most beautiful city in the union.

To this end she has organized a society, whose special purpose will be to furnish some of the means and show the way to beautification. As a beginning it will urge the taking down of all fences, the improvement of lawns and frontage and the planting of vacant lots and places in flowers and shrubs.

Her aim is laudable and it is to be hoped she will go far towards attaining it. She can never be as beautiful as Portsmouth ought to be and will some day attain. That because she lacks the proper setting. In surroundings and scenery our own Peerless is without an equal. Here nature lends prolific and unrivaled help to art. We have the hills and the two rivers. Good streets are already ours to a large extent and more will soon be laid. All that actually remains to be done is the planting of a few more trees, the painting of some houses, the betterment of lawns and the cultivation of flowers in open spaces. Decided progress is being made in these accessories each year and with the Women's Federation now actively enlisted in the good work we may look for far more rapid advancement from now on.

THE SECOND THOUGHT.

For weeks the constitutional convention has been "wrastling" with the initiative and the referendum.

A big majority of the convention was elected pledged to that measure, but its greatest trouble has been in agreeing on the terms in which it shall be submitted.

Apparently, the hardest battle has raged around the proposition that it shall be so termed as not to allow through it the adoption of the initiative and referendum.

There is an able-bodied suspicion hanging around that it is almost a furious pretence. The delegates jauntily swore allegiance to the initiative and referendum without thought as to "whither are we drifting." When they got plumb up against it then it began to take on a different mein. It became a serious matter and not a mere expedient to ride to election upon. Thought had to be given it and in the cold light of study and reason it began to dawn upon some that it might not be without its potentialities for evil as well as for good. Whereupon they began to hedge and brought in the single tax bugaboo to affright it out of the way.

For the single tax can be nothing else but a bugaboo for this particular purpose. As does it not stand to reason that if the people can vote all their laws at the ballot box and do it best, there is no reason why they should not be equally qualified to vote the single tax upon the states? It certainly does and when delegates deny support to the initiative and referendum on this single ground they fear the single tax through it, they are not playing square with their pre-election promises.

It is going to be a fight of the field against Harmon here in Ohio.

Huntington does not seem to be so much concerned now about being the fastest growing city in West Virginia, as to whether or not its "favorite son" will be the fastest runner for governor.

Taft is showing unexpected real and capacity as a fighter.

The people are again having the lesson that gang rule comes high and is poor in quality, but that is what they voted for and without recall until the next regular election.

From this time on it will not be much of a struggle except to get into the Taft band wagon.

Talk about being licked to a frazzle, Roosevelt certainly got it in New York.

It is about time for spring to come out of cold storage.

Do your part in making Portsmouth the city beautiful.

The man most in demand in Portsmouth is the garbage man.

The gang may be doing the best it can, but the streets are nothing like they used to be.

Dudley Martin of Fullerton, Ky., is very ill with the grip.

DR. G. A. SULZER

In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 98 E. Second street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Falls On Head; And Is Badly Injured

Stricken with an attack of vertigo while reroofing a boxcar in the local N. & W. yards, John Boston, 920 North Waller street, fell and alighted on his head. He was removed to the N. & W. Y. M. C. A. in an unconscious condition. He is suffering from concussion of the brain and his condition is serious. The accident occurred Saturday afternoon.

MOTOR BOAT CLUB HAS MEET

Mad dogs and drop ear rings were two topics discussed at Friday evening's session of the Gray Motor Club. Vice President Ben Bratt voiced the sentiments of all present that not one dog in a hundred that are killed during mad dog scares is afflicted with rabies, and that police officers as a rule, do not know a mad dog when they see one. Lecturer Fred Duerr led the attack upon the latest fad of woman wearing long ear rings, and all present expressed disapproval of the style.

La Follettes Strength To Be Given A Test

OTHER PLACES HAVE FLOODS

(By Associated Press.)

Toledo, O., March 29—The gorge near Damascus, north of here has broken and the Maumee river is sweeping toward this city with terrific force. The current is the swiftest it has been since 1901 and it is feared much damage will be done. The Maumee is rising at the rate of one inch per hour and the rise will be much more rapid when the current strikes here.

(By Associated Press.)

Hammond, Ind., March 30—Twenty feet of the dyke in the Kankee river has given away, and the land between Selby and Schneider, two small cities to the north, has been inundated. The water is fifteen feet deep in some places and it is feared many lives have been lost.

(By Associated Press.)

Boone, Ia., March 30—Floods now threaten this city with inundation. The Des Moines river is out of her banks and it is now feared this city will suffer the worst flood in her history. Many embankments have been thrown up and practically every able bodied man in the city is being pressed into service to prevent the water from reaching the business districts.

(By Associated Press.)

Springfield, Neb., March 30—All night long a large force of men attempted to dynamite the heavy gorge in the Platte river near Ashland, where the back waters have flooded an area of more than 30 square miles of the finest farming land in Nebraska. Many of the farmers have taken their families and gone to the surrounding hills. The large army of men trying to dislodge the gorge have made but little progress.

(By Associated Press.)

Albert Lea, Minn., March 30—The big dam which is being built by the city gave way today and two-thirds of the town is under water. Much damage has been done.

At Stock Sale.

W. H. Mittendorff of South Webster, was in Wheelersburg Saturday to attend the big stock sale.

Fertilizer for all purposes at Sommer Bros.' hardware store.

Plant Running Full.

The Portsmouth Stove and Range Company's plant is now running full blast in all departments, and some extensive shipments have been made this week to distant parts of the country.

Takes Job As Driver.

John Daniels, who recently quit his position at the steel plant has taken one as driver of a Lion brewery wagon.

Money Not Found.

Richard Forrest says the published report that the money which disappeared from his home had been found was absolutely unfounded. The money has not been accounted for and Mr. Forrest has no hopes whatever of recovering it.

West Sider Arrested.

Late Reynolds, a West Sider, was arrested by Officers Nance and Dixon Saturday afternoon for staggering along Market street and abusing John Pick, of Carey's Run.

Mrs. W. B. Grice is quite ill at her home on Eighth and Gay Sts.

(By United Press.)

Washington, D. C., March 30—Whether Taft, Roosevelt or some one else will be nominated at the Chicago Republican Convention, and what influence La Follette will have in that meeting especially what power he will be able to exert to secure a progressive platform will be determined by the conventions scheduled for early in April.

The first fight will come next Tuesday in Wisconsin. That state's 26 delegates are practically conceded to La Follette. Roosevelt boomers are not making a fight there and the Taft men are merely making a perfunctory contest.

The Mormon church position will be shown on April 6th when the Utah state convention meets. A Taft endorsement is expected. The New York state convention and the Chicago primaries will be held April 9th. The next day the Kentucky and Vermont conventions are to be held. The St. Louis ward and the Pennsylvania congressional district primaries will be held April 13th.

Seventy-two of Pennsylvania's 76 delegates will be chosen then. The majority probably will be controlled by the organization which is friendly to Taft.

Want Teddy's Name On Repubelian Ticket

(By Associated Press.)

Trenton, N. J., March 30—Petitions to have Colonel Roosevelt's name placed on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held by the Republicans and Democrats there May 14th were filed today. The petition contained 3,000 names. Only 1000 were necessary.

WILL PLEAD INSANITY

(By United Press.)

Newark, O., March 30—That insanity will be the plea of the defense in the case of Samuel A. Holler charged with first degree murder for alleged participation in the lynching of Carl Etherington, dry detective here in July, 1910, was indicated today when Holler was arraigned in common pleas court.

While the court was still reading the indictment preparatory to a plea Holler cried out "not guilty." Holler has been very sullen in the jail since his capture in Chicago about two weeks ago.

MISSISSIPPI ON TEAR

(By Associated Press.)

Louisville, Ky., March 30—Telephone advices from Hickman, Ky., today said that the Mississippi levee was holding by a mere thread and may give way at any moment. The swollen waters are rising gradually and the town is in danger of being flooded. All night long men struggled against the raging waters by piling thousands of sand bags against the levee. Soldiers patrolled the banks of the river all night long and added to the scene of grimness. Only one fatality has resulted thus far, when a small babe fell from its mother's arms into the river and was drowned.

Cheyboyan, Wis., March 30—The Mississippi river has overflowed its banks in the western part of the town and all factories are shut down as the men employed in them were unable to reach their work owing to the high water.